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RUSSO-GERMAN BATTLE IN POLAND, NOW PENDING, MAY DETERMINE LENGTH OF WAR

Public Interest Centers on Territory Between the Vistula and Warthe Rivers, Where Great Battle is Expected to Take Place—German Advance Covers Half of Territory Taken by the Russian Cavalry.

PORTIONS OF FLEETS OF TURKEY AND RUSSIA IN ENGAGEMENT IN BLACK SEA

Both Claim That Damage is Done Other's Vessels—Operations in Galacia and East Prussia Continue Favorable to the Russians—Cannonading in the West All That is Possible—Nothing Heard in U. S.

London, Nov. 19.—Public interest now is centered in the battle of the Russians and Germans between the Vistula and Warthe rivers in Poland, for it is believed the outcome there will have a marked effect on the operations elsewhere, and on the duration of the war.

Both German and Russian headquarters are very sparing with information. All that is definitely known is that the Russian advance guard, consisting largely of cavalry, which advanced right on to the German frontier after the battle at Warsaw, met superior forces and has fallen back more than half the distance covered in the advance.

The Germans are sending strong forces into the country between the two rivers where the battle must be fought, hoping that in this confined area the Russians will not be able to deploy their enormous armies to advantage. The Russians, however, now can choose their own ground for the battle, and it is probable they will select it as far as possible from the German lines of communication.

In Galicia before Cracow, and in East Prussia, the Russians are pushing their advantage, apparently disregarding the fact that their center has been compelled to fall back. They also are showing much activity in the Carpathians to prevent the Austrians from retiring into Hungary. It is stated they already have cut off 800,000 Austrians, who will now be compelled, if defeated, to retreat westward.

In Flanders and France the battle which has been going on for 35 days has again developed into an artillery duel. This doubtless is due to inability of the infantry on either side to operate successfully over the muddy ground, and to the extended flooded area between the coast and Dixmude. While they are moving men eastward to oppose the Russians, the Germans are reported to be bringing more big guns to the western front. Russians and Turkish squadrons have met in a long distance duel off Sebastopol and both claim victory. The Russian report says the Turkish cruiser Goeben was damaged, while the Turks claim a Russian battleship suffered severely and that the other Russian warships fled...

Reminiscent of early days of the war is the report from Vienna that Belgrade has been called upon to surrender. This city, capital of Servia, was under bombardment for weeks and was relieved only when the Russian advance in Galicia compelled the Austrians to look after their northern frontiers. Now the Servians, like the Montenegrins, are back in their own country, and the Austrians, unmindful of the second invasion of their northern provinces, are endeavoring to destroy the two little armies.

WASHINGTON LEARNS NOTHING.

Disabled Condition of Cables Prevents Hearing from Tennessee.

Washington, Nov. 18.—President Wilson tonight summoned Secretary of the Navy Daniels and Acting Secretary of State Lansing to learn if there had been any word from Turkey shedding light on the firing by Turkish land forces on the American cruiser Tennessee's launch, at Smyrna, Asia Minor. He was told neither cables nor wireless had yielded information.

The European war has virtually paralyzed cable communication to Asia Minor and such messages as seep through come by round-about routes and about five days late. If there is continued delay in news of the incident it is probable the American government will ask the British admiralty for the courtesy of its wireless in the Mediterranean to reach the American ships.

The President and cabinet assume that shots fired at the American launch were a friendly warning, giving customary notice that the port was mined and closed. Even if the shots were fired with hostile intent, Washington believes the Ottoman government would render prompt apology for unauthorized acts of subordinate officials. In no quarter here is the incident regarded as serious.

When tonight's conference ended Secretary Daniels and Mr. Lansing said no further inquiries had been directed to the American cruisers or the American ambassador at Constantinople, the talk being largely a detailed review of previous messages covering the general situation in Turkey and Asia Minor.

BATTLE IN BLACK SEA.

Russian Fleet Engaged by Turkish Vessels—Both Claim Damage Done.

Berlin, Nov. 19.—(By wireless to the Associated Press)—A Turkish fleet has engaged a Russian squadron composed of two battleships and five cruisers off Sebastopol, according to an official report reaching Berlin from Constantinople today.

One of the Russian battleships was seriously damaged, and the other vessels, with the Turkish ships in pursuit, fled to Sebastopol.

Russia Claims Turks Damaged.

Petrograd, Nov. 19.—This official statement was given out today by the Russian Ministry of Marine regarding the naval battle in the Black Sea, between the Russian and Turkish fleets:

"On November 18th a division of the Black Sea fleet, returning from its cruise to Sebastopol, near the coast of Anatolia, sighted, 25 miles from the Bhersonss Light, and engaged a Turkish detachment consisting of the Goeben and the Breslau. The Russian fleet immediately drew up in battle order, bringing the enemy to starboard, and opened fire at a distance of about five miles. The first salvo of 12-inch guns from the flagship Admiral Evstafry struck the Goeben and caused an explosion amidships, setting her on fire. Following the Evstafry the other Russian ships opened fire, the Russian guns giving an excellent account of themselves.

"A series of explosions were seen in the hull of the Goeben, which opened fire slowly. The enemy seemed not to have expected to meet it. The Germans fired salvos of their heavy guns, directing them exclusively at the flagship.

"The encounter continued for fourteen minutes, after which the Goeben withdrew and disappeared in the fog, taking advantage of ner speed.

"The Breslau took no part in the fight, holding herself on the horizon.

"The Evstafry suffered only insignificant damage. The Russian losses were a lieutenant and 19 sailors killed and 5 sailors slightly wounded."

FRENCH CLAIM SUCCESSES.

Embassy at Washington Gives Out Reports from the Home Office.

Washington, Nov. 19.—An official dispatch to the French embassy referred to the great loss of life inflicted on the enemy by the Allies and spoke of the success of French scouting parties in securing information of German troop movements.

"Suplementary information received here," said the dispatch, "reveals that the last three days' fighting has resulted particularly disastrously for the adversaries. To the east of Ypres the Germans left more than 1,200 dead in a space of ground of not more than five or six hundred meters.

"In the vicinity of St. Mihiel, after having made successful advances our troops withstood the shock of reinforcements from the enemy, holding all points previously taken. The Germans blew up the garrison at Chauvencourt with a mine. We had partially captured this town and resuming we were able to force the enemy's lines back.

"The German press has announced that a strong French attack in the region of Cirey had been repulsed. As a matter of fact, we have not engaged at that point except in reconnoitering, which has been successfull conducted."

GLASGOW FOR REPAIRS.

British Cruiser Damaged in Engagement With Germans in Pacific.

Rio Janeiro, Nov. 19.—The British cruiser Glasgow, damaged in the naval battle off the Chilean coast November 1st, has obtained permission from the Brazilian government to enter dry dock here and receive urgent repairs. The work must be completed within seven days, at the expiration of which the vessel must leave port.

The Glasgow arrived here Tuesday. She has five holes in her hull made by shells. Four of her sailors were wounded in the battle.

Officers of the Glasgow today gave additional details of the battle in which a German squadron sunk the British cruisers Good Hope and Monmouth. At the very beginning of the battle, it was

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VILLA CONTINUES MARCH ON CAPITAL

Carranza Garrisons Along the Line Joining Villa.

SYSTEMATIC ADVANCE

Carranza Sends Statement to His Representatives at Washington Concerning Conditions in Mexico—His Proposition.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Villa's march on Mexico City continues unobstructed, according to telegrams tonight. Two thousand Carranza troops changed their allegiance on the arrival of the Villa advance at Leon, the dispatch said, and garrisons all along the line are incorporating themselves in the Villa columns.

The American agents predict that Villa will reach Mexico City without difficulty. His army, they say, is well equipped and is moving with scientific precision. From Carranza sources, however, it is declared Villa will clash in a few days with the troops of Generals Obregon and Gonzales, south of Irapuato and near Kueretaro.

Washington representatives of Carranza tonight gave out the following telegram from Carranza dated yesterday at Cordoba:

Carranza's Statement.

"That you may be clearly informed as to actual conditions and be in a position to deny all false rumors, I wish to place in your hands all the details of the situation beginning by giving you the condition on which I was willing to resign as I expressed them in messages to General Gonzales.

"These points: I will surrender the power in my hands to any person whom I deem trustworthy, as, for example, General Pablo Gonzales. General Villa shall deliver the actual command of his forces to the administration in the territory controlled by General Gutierrez. Villa and myself shall both leave the country and meet in Havana on November 25th. The convention of generals shall convene in Mexico City to select a president for the entire pro-constitutional election period. Generals Gutierrez and Gonzales shall deliver the command of the troops under them to the newly elected president. If, on the 30th of November these conditions have not been complied with, Carranza shall resume his character as first chief of the constitutionalist army.

"To these propositions General Gonzales and Obregon answered from Mexico City that they had been accepted in full at Aguas Calientes.

"Accordingly it is false, as the press of the United States reports, that I had been given 24 hours within which to surrender my office.

"My desire is to avoid the responsibility of future bloodshed. My desire is to make every possible concession compatible with my duty as a citizen, as a representative of the revolution and as a first chief in charge of the executive power of the nation.

Leaders Are Loyal.

"The majority of the chiefs remained loyal and continued to remain ready to sustain the conditions to which I made reference. For this reason it is false that they have abandoned their first attitude and now desire that I leave the country.

"In regard to the protests the Villaistas have made in regard to the early evacuation of Vera Cruz, I am not in a position to know anything about it. Such a protest would only show a lack of honor and patriotism on their part and my feelings lead me to reject the idea that any Mexican citizen would harbor such an intention.

"It is false that Villaista troops are about to take the port of Tampico because it is first necessary for them to defeat the Constitutionalist troops in the state of Coahuila, Nuevo Leon and Tamaulipas, which remain loyal to the first chief.

"Generals Obregon, Gonzales and Aguilar firmly demand that the conditions stipulated by me shall be fulfilled and accordingly there is no truth in the rumors of their defection.

"I have not received any word that Villa had informed the Aguas Calientes convention that he will retire from the command of the division of the north and agree to extirpate himself and accept the conditions presented to him."

JOHN LIND TELLS WHY.

Former Representative of Wilson in Mexico Outlines Cause of Trouble.

Chicago, Nov. 19.—Fighting in Mexico never will cease until the land has been redistributed and workers can own their homes, in the opinion of John Lind, President Wilson's personal representative in the Southern Republic, during Huerta's administration. Addressing the Industrial Club, here, today, Mr. Lind sketched the development of the landlord system under the Spanish conquerors and then declared:

"As a whole, the nation was made homeless and has so continued to this day. This is and will be the cause of revolutions in Mexico until the question is settled. The state of Morelos, for example, is owned by 27 men."

Nominal freedom, Mr. Lind said, was accorded the peons, but they are poorly paid and practically compelled to remain in the service of the great land owners. Laws forbidding employees to leave the landlords' service while in debt have aided in keeping the workers in subjection.

Careful study of the Mexicans, the speaker continued, convinced him that the differences between them and the citizens of the United States were not racial nor psychological. The turbulence of the Mexicans, he said, could be attributed to years of oppression.

"The hard experience of the Mexican has made him wary and suspicious," said Mr. Lind. "It has been difficult for the Mexican people to believe our President did not have some ulterior motive in his proffered good offices. I

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FUNERAL OF GREAT SOLDIER IS HELD

England Buries Roberts by Other Famous Britons.

IMPRESSIVE SERVICES

Thousands Stood With Heads Bared in Rain as Cortege Passed Through London Streets En Route to St. Paul's Cathedral.

London, Nov. 19.—The body of Field Marshal Lord Roberts, borne on a gun carriage, moved slowly through the streets of London today to its last resting place in St. Paul's Cathedral. The streets were lined with troops, while thousands of civilians stood with bared heads in a cold rain as the funeral cortege passed.

The procession reached St. Paul's at noon, where funeral services were held before a reverent throng, including King George. The body will be interred alongside the remains of Wellington, Nelson, Wolseley, and other famous Britons.

Lord Roberts died from natural causes last week at the headquarters of the British army in France. The body was returned to England yesterday and last night it lay in his residence at Ascot, where a brief service attended by Lady Roberts and her daughters were held. This morning the coffin was brought to London for public funeral.

It is recalled today that just 25 years ago the body of Duke of Wellington was interred in St. Paul's Cathedral.

Lord Kitchener secretary of war; Admiral Lord Charles Beresford, Lord Grenfell, Admiral Sir E. H. Seymour; Sir Evelyn Wood and other prominent naval and army officers followed the caisson bearing the flag draped coffin through the streets of the city.

George Not in Procession.

King George was not in the procession. He drove from Buckingham Palace direct to the cathedral, which he reached shortly before the arrival of the cortege. This is the first time England's king has attended the funeral of a national hero since the burial of Wellington.

Preceding the caisson was a battery of Indian artillery, given this place of honor because of Lord Roberts' lifelong devotion to the king's Indian troops. Tall sikhs, their turbans wound with khaki led the white mules with the battery, and Indian officers wrapped in their khaki robes paid silent tribute to their departed friend. Lieut. Gen. Pole-Carew and eight other officers rode beside the caisson carrying the insignia of the field marshal while a groom walked behind leading the former chieftain's horse.

It required more than an hour for the military escort to pass. The three bridges over the Thames commanding the rout of march along the Victoria embankment were massed with crowds, but it was with great difficulty that they could see the procession in the avenue below because of the rain and heavy fog. The silent soldiery passed by enveloped in a mist which seemed to intensify the solemnity of their mission.

The pipers of the London Scottish, followed by a battalion of that organization, led the procession in which the guards and battalions of naval detachmenst preceded the Indian battery.

After the caisson came the carriages of the mourners and pallbearers, then a battery of the royal horse artillery,

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RELIEF COMMITTEE IS READY FOR BUSINESS

Opens Office and Rents Dock Space in New York

And Announces That They Are Ready to Receive Food and Other Things for Shipment to the Starving Belgians.

New York, Nov. 19.—The American commission for relief in Belgium, formed by Ambassador Walter Hines Page, in London, has opened offices and hired dock space in New York. The commission announced today it was ready to ship provisions in any quantity to Belgium.

This commission is attending strictly to transportation and does not conflict with relief committees already constituted in America. It has funds to handle all shipments and has made diplomatic arrangements to have food sent through expeditiously and without interference.

Lindon W. Bates, American vice chairman of the commission, said today: "In spite of efforts of Belgian relief committees the Rockefeller Foundation and other organizations, Belgium cannot be fed at the present pace. American members of the commission declare we must send at least a half million tons of food this winter."

Women's organizations whose memberships aggregate 5,900,000 have enrolled in an executive co-operating committee to assist the American committee for relief in Belgium, officers of the women's section of the commission announced tonight. Fourteen National and International women's societies including the Congress of Mothers, International Woman's Suffrage Alliance, Women's Christian Temperance Union, and the Daughters of the American Revolution, have joined the movement.

SOUTH AMERICAN BUSINESS WANTED

Barrett Outlines Plan to Secure Great Commerce

AT TRADE CONFERENCE

The Loan of Five Hundred Million Dollars to South America in the Next Five Years Would Secure Billions in Trade.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 19.—That $500,000,000 loaned to the countries of South and Central America within the next five years would bring to this country more than one and a half billion dollars in trade was the declaration of John Barrett, director general of the Pan-American Union, at the opening session here today of the first International Trade Conference of the Mississippi Valley and Central West.

Mr. Barrett was the principal speaker

Mr. Barrett was principal speaker at the afternoon session which was devoted principally to the organization of the conference. Edward E. Gore of Chicago was elected permanent chairman of the meeting, M. B. Trezevant, of New Orleans, secretary and committees were appointed to consider the subjects of transportation, the establishment of a credit system, exchange of commodities between the United States and Latin-America, and banking. The committees will report to the final session of the conference tomorrow. Delegates from all the States in the Mississippi valley and nearly every Southern State are in attendance.

Figures Are Offered.

Mr. Barrett placed before the conference facts and figures calculated to throw light on the problems connected with the development of South American trade. With European capital, which has heretofore largely financed business in the South American countries, unavailable, owing to the European war the opportunity for American business men and manufacturers to secure a larger trade relationship is great, he stated.

Elliott H. Goodwin, general secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States and C. L. Chandler, of Chattanooga, Tenn., South American agent of the Southern Railway were the speakers at the night session.

GOVERNMENT INVESTIGATES.

Bureau of Commerce Gets Reports. Financial Conditions Bad.

Washington, Nov. 19.—The bureau of foreign and domestic commerce is at work on reports from every South American country with a view to suggesting to American manufacturers a feasible way of securing the enormous trade with those countries which Germany was forced to abandon at the outbreak of the European war.

Preliminary statements show the situation to be greatly complicated. With the exception of Argentina, every country is financially embarrassed, and with some, notably Brazil, an unsound financial condition aggravated by the war, adds to the difficulties.

In several countries the situation is the same as that which faced cotton growers of the United States when their European market was closed by the war. They are loaded with huge crops and mineral products usually absorbed by European manufacturers, now out of reach.

There are very few factories in South America, and little prospect that those of the United States will be able to take up any large portion of the raw materials now filling South American warehouses. Without exception American consuls reported that some arrangement must be made to permit South American producers to realize to some extent on these stored products as a preliminary establishment of permanent trade with the Southern continent.

Difficulties Numerous.

Those in close touch with the situation pointed out tonight that many difficulties would be encountered in any effort to organize a loan syndicate to aid South American producers as cotton producers are being aided in this country. That it was unlikely anything could be accomplished toward turning South American trade to the United States for several months at least, was generally admitted by officials but they were hopeful that a way eventually would be found.

They are working out a plan which it is expected will be placed before American business men within a month in the form of a suggestion by Secretary Redfield.

At the Chamber of Commerce of the United States an optimistic view of the South American trade situation was expressed today.

SNOWFALL AT BRISTOL BREAKS RECORD FOR DATE

Bristol, Tenn.-Va., Nov. 19.—What is said to be a record snow for November 19 in Bristol and the first of the season started falling tonight at 9 o'clock and at midnight had fallen to a depth of over two inches, with no let up in sight.

It was learned in Wilmington last night that a light snowfall was general over the South yesterday afternoon and last night, amounting to one inch in Atlanta and two inches in Nashville, Tenn., where the first fall was recorded about 1 o'clock Thursday morning. This is the first for this year and perhaps the earliest fall for this section recorded in years.

EXPLAIN SUCCESS OF THE KARLSRUHE

German Cruiser Set Traps for Allied Liners.

WITH CAPTURED SHIPS

Captured Vessels With Prize Crews Aboard Patrolled Ocean and Called Cruiser by Wireless When Steamer Sighted.

New York, Nov. 19.—How the German cruiser Karlsruhe set traps for vessels flying the flags of nations at war with Germany was told by former passengers of the Lamport and Holt liner Van Dyck, captured by the Karlsruhe while en route from Buenos Ayres to New York. These passengers arrived here today on the steamship Sao Paulo from Para.

Captain Hans Fritch, of the German naval reserve commanding the steamer Asuncion, to which those aboard the Van Dyck were first transfered, gave the passengers the information. Captain Fritch said that the Karlsruhe was constantly accompanied by four captured merchant vessels manned by prize crews. The flotilla spread out over a line about 150 miles long. When a vessel flying the enemy's flag was sighted by one ship, the wireless notified the Karlsruhe, which with superior speed, would dash in and capture the prize.

Captain Fritsch said that the Karlsruhe had captured 17 ships in or near equatorial Atlantic waters.

Daniel Lindo, of New York, as spokesman for the 114 former passengers of the Van Dyck aboard the Sao Paulo, told the following story of the capture of the Van Dyck:

Story of the Capture.

"The Van Dyck left Buenos Ayres on October 15, with 198 passengers and a crew of 210. The British cruiser Bristol convoyed the ship between Rio Janeiro and Bahia.

"On the morning of October 26, after we left Bahia, we saw a gray war vessel coming in our direction at great speed. Soon we found out that the warship was the Karlsruhe and that the Van Dyck was a prize of war. In the wake of the cruiser here came the steamer Farn which we learned later was a captured vessel.

"A long boat filled with officers and men then put off from the cruiser. Officers came aboard and after inspecting the ship's papers informed us that we would be transferred to another vessel and taken into some port.

"Three other vessels also came up. They were the Rio Negro, the Asuncion and the Indrani. The first two used to be vessels of the Hamburg-American Line; the Indrani was a captured vessel. The next morning the passengers were taken to the Asuncion.

"The Asuncion with 511 persons aboard patrolled north and south over a path 60 miles long, for six days. That was done to prevent news of the capture of the Van Dyck from becoming known. The Karlsruhe was watching for the steamer Vestria which was bound south and reported to be nearby.

"Captain Fritsch told us that the Asuncion steamed without clearance papers, from Santos, August 8, with a full supply of coal and provisions. She joined the Karlsruhe at a small island off the coast of South America. The coal and provisions were transferred to the cruiser, which was badly in need of them.

"Captain Fritch said that the Karlsruhe had captured the following vessels:

August 31, Maple Branch; September 1, Strathroy; September 14, Highland Hope; September 17, Indrani; September 21, Maria, a Dutch vessel with contraband of war aboard, and the Rio Iyana; September 22, Cornish City; October 5, Maria De Larrinaga, and the Meitab; October 6, Farn; October 7, Lyeronna; October 8, Cervantes; October 9, Pruth; October 11, Condort October 18, Glanton; October 23, Hurstdale; and October 26, Van Dyck."

THIRTEEN TEAMS LEFT IN THE BICYCLE RACE

Spill in Which Many Riders Fell Featured Last Night's Riding.

New York, Nov. 19.—Thirteen teams were left in the six-day bicycle race at 11 o'clock tonight, ten of which were bunched for the lead with 1,884 miles and two laps to their credit. Three teams—Piercey and Dupuy, Kopsky and Hensen and the Bedell rothers—withdrew during the evening. Piercey and Hensen formed a partnership and entered the race with a handicap of one lap. The fact pace was lessening and the teams were only two miles and two laps ahead of the record for the hour.

The chief incident of the night was a spill shortly before 10 o'clock. Several riders were thrown and seriously cut on the fact and hands or bruised about the body. None was seriously enough injured to force his retirement.

The standing at 11 p. m. was:

Goulet-Grenda, Clark-Root, Cameron-Kaiser, Lawrence-Magin, Egg-Verri, Moran-McNamara, Walthour-Halstead, Fofler-Hill, Lawson-Drobach and Ryan-Wohlrab, 1,884 miles, two laps; Thomas-Hanley, 1,884 miles; Mitten-Anderson 1,883 miles 9 laps; Piercey-Hansen, 1,883 miles two laps.

UNKNOWN GLOVE ARTIST GETS SHADE ON WELSH

World's Light Weight Champion Loses. Difference of Opinion in Result.

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 19.—Freddie Welsh, the world's champion lightweight, fought a ten round bout with Jimmy Duffy, of Lockport here tonight on the result of which opinion was divided between a draw and a shade for Duffy.

HARMONY PREVAILS IN M. E. CONFERENCE

$5,000 Donated for Annual Sermon on Methodism.

IN LAURINBURG CHURCH

Given to Conference by Walter H. Neal; Dr. Turrentine Speaks—Dr. Massey Reelected Editor the Advocate—Reports Heard.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, N. C., Nov. 19.—The day dawned dark and rainy so that it was a rather damp crowd that gathered in the Methodist church this morning at 9:30 for the opening of the second day's session of the North Carolina Methodist conference. The weather, however, had no power to dampen the spirits of the men gathered in their annual session and the sound of the gospel hymns soon announced that the hour for the opening service had arrived.

The value and blessing of Methodist hymnology was emphasized in the opening devotional service conducted by Dr. S. B. Turrentine, president of Greensboro College for Women. Dr. Turrentine said that the Methodist church had been called the "singing church." As every great movement, every great crisis in the world's history has been marked by song, so the grand burst of melody arising with Methodism proclaimed her greatness. The history of song illustrates the spirit of heroism, so the soldiers of Methodism have shown themselves ready to die for the faith. Dr. Nash, the conference evangelist, offered the opening prayer.

Dr. Turrentine Speaks.

Dr. Turrentine read from the first chapter of Joshua the 7th, 8th and 9th verses, basing on these verses his remarks on the "Victory of Christian Heroism." It was the heroism that David enjoined on the youthful Solomon, that the Apostle expressed in the watchword, "Watch You—Be Strong." Dr. Turrentine spoke especially of the worth of character, the outward expression of this inward strength and the source from which this inner strength is derived. In the course of his remarks Dr. Turrentine said that "no life has ever been so great that it would not have been greater had no wild oats been sown."

At the close of Dr. Turrentine's very beautiful address, Bishop Waterhouse announced that the first 30 minutes Friday morning would be devoted to song and testimony. Secretary R. H. Willis read the minutes of Wednesday's session and called the roll of the conference.

A communication from Bishop Warren A. Candler, chancellor of the new Methodist University at Atlanta, was read. It is expected and hoped that Bishop J. C. Kilgo will be present during the conference to represent the interests of the new university.

The report of the trustees of Carolina College was presented by Presiding Elder J. E. Underwood and referred to the board of education.

Rev. R. L. Davis, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, made his report with those of the Raleigh district.

Epworth League Work.

Rev. J. M. Culbreth, assistant secretary of the Epworth League Board, made a very encouraging report of the work of the Epworth League. During the year 552 new societies have been organized representing a membership of 14,000. A budget of $131,000 has been raised by the league, $35,000 for foreign missions and $5,000 for the central office. During the year six new annual Epworth League conferences have been organized. It was estimated that at least 6,000 young Methodists have been reached through district league institutes.

The Raleigh district being concluded the Rockingham district was called.

$5,000 for Sermons on Methodism.

In connection with the report of Rev. R. F. Bumpas, pastor of the church at Laurinburg, a communication was read from Mr. Walter H. Neal, of Laurinburg, donating to the conference $5,000 to be invested under the supervision of the presiding elder of the Rockingham district, the annual income to be paid for an annual sermon to be preached in Laurinburg on "Methodism, What It Has Been, What It Now is, and What it Hopes to Be in the Future." The gift is given in memory of George W. Neal, who was a local preacher and father of the donor.

The report of Rev. S. E. Mercer, president of Carolina College, at Maxton, was included in those of the Rockingham district.

The reports of the preachers of the Warrenton district followed, the report of J. M. Rhodes, president of Littleton Female College, being made in this district. Mr. Rhodes invited the members of the conference to a missionary conference to be held at Littleton the first week in April.

The report of Rev. J. W. Frank, a missionary to Japan, was made in a letter from Mr. Frank.

Bishop Interested in Wilmington.

Rev. G. T. Adams, of Fifth Street church, Wilmington, spoke a good word for the young people of his church. The Epworth League at Fifth Street is the second largest in Southern Methodism, and has a membership of 244. The bishop expressed a lively and keen interest in the growing prospects of the city of Wilmington.

Rev. L. S. Massey was reelected editor of the Raleigh Christian Advocate, receiving 111 of the 186 votes cast. Rev. M. T. Plyler received 67 votes, Rev. H. E. Spence 2, Rev. N. H. D. Wilson 4, and Rev. J. D. Bundy and Rev R. B. John one each.

The following were admitted on trial: H. I. Glass, Durham district; H. B. Hill and E. L. Hill, Newbern district; A. S. Parker, R. F. Munns, Raleigh district; W. G. Lowe and J. A. Russell, Warrenton district. On request, Rev.

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DISCUSS FOREIGN TRADE CONDITIONS

Coffee Roasters at New Orleans See Better Times.

MUST INCREASE SHIPS

America Cannot Depend Upon Ships of Other Nations to Handle Her Commerce—Shipping Laws Hindered Progress.

New Orleans, Nov. 19.—The final session of the convention of the National Coffee Roasters Association here tonight developed into a discussion of trade conditions and possibilities held out to foreign traders by the Federal Reserve Board. These discussions were led by Oscar B. McGlasson, president of the National Wholesale Grocers' Association, and Edward N. Hurley, vice president of the Illinois Manufacturers' Association.

Mr. Hurley told the coffee men that they no longer would be compelled to depend upon London exchange to finance their dealing with Brazil from whom they purchase $50,000,000 worth of coffee a year and produced a telegram from Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo to prove his assertions.

Mr. McGlasson saw in the proposed Federal Trade Commission a wonderful opportunity for the business man engaged in smaller lines of trade. He predicted that it would equalize business opportunities and prove a general boon to "honest" business.

The problem of carrying United States commerce in ships of United States registry, solution of which was attempted as a result of the European war conditions, has hardly been touched, Edward N. Hurley, vice president of the Illinois Manufacturers' Association, told members of the National Coffee Roasters' Association here today.

Blames Navigation Laws.

Mr. Hurley blamed the navigation laws of the United States for this condition, saying that they made it from 20 to 30 per cent more expensive to operate a vessel under an American than under a foreign flag. He warned his hearers that the addition of 80 ships to American registry and the opening of a few branch banks in South America by no means solved American commercial problems.

"Two thousand ships, averaging from 3,000 to 4,000 tons each would be required to carry all our export and import trade," he said. "Our commerce is again moving but it is being carried in foreign ships, mostly British and their safe passage over seas is by grace of the British navy's control of ocean trade routes.

"If the German navy should gain control of the seas our commerce would be dislocated until we could begin to ship our goods under the German flag. This is a humiliating position for a great commercial nation. Any commercial house presenting the spectacle of rushing about from one livery stable to another to obtain delivery of its goods would soon wake up to the necessity of having its own wagons."

Mr. Hurley urged establishment under regulation of the new Federal Trade Commission of combinations to act as selling agencies abroad for American goods.

"Until the Trade Commission was established it was a question combinations for trade abroad were not prohibited by the Sherman law," said Mr. Hurley. "The commission now can determine whether such combinations are wholesome. If so, they can engage freely in foreign business, effectively meeting the combination of industries which foreign governments encourage. A condition which would enable American industries to reduce their cost of representation abroad and thereby more aggressively compete with foreign combinations would be promoting rather than restricting competition."

FUNERAL OF GREAT SOLDIER IS HELD

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while three battalions of cavalry all in field khaki brought up the rear of the military escort.

Salute is Fired.

A salute of 19 guns was fired as the funeral procession left the railroad station. Traffic was suspended along the route and the crowds stood in absolute silence. The only sound as the military escort passed along was the rythmic tread of infantrymen and the crunching of the horses' hoofs on the sand covered roads.

Long before the time fired for the funeral services the vast cathedral was filled. The strains of the dead march of Saul, accompanied by the booming of guns, announced finally the approach of the funeral procession. The black dresses of the women and khaki coats of the army officers harmonized with the occasion. A brilliant touch of color was afforded here and there by the robes of peers and the dress uniforms of retired officers of the army and navy.

King George was attired in the khaki uniform of a field marshal, as were all of the active officers in attendance.

Kinfi George was met at the south door of the cathedral by the Bishop of London and the cathedral clergy, and by them conducted to a seat under the dome and near the coffin.

The service had been especially shortened in view of the preliminary services at the Roberts home at Ascot. The last act, after the blessing had been given by the archbishop of Caterbury, was the proclamation of the late field Marshal's titles by the Garter king at arms. Then followed Chopin's funeral march and as the trumpeters of the royal artillery sounded "taps" the vast audience slowly dispersed.

As soon as the congregation was clear of the building the general public was admitted to view the catafalque, which law in state in the crypt. In spite of a storm of sleet which began early in the day, a large crowd waited for the privilege of the last view of the flagdraped coffin and began to file in the cathedral before the congregation was out of the building.

In spite of the bad weather crowds attended the cut price sale now going on at Polvogt's. (advertisement.)

TRADING IN BONDS AGAIN POSTPONED

Renewal Announced for Saturday But Reversed

A DELICATE SITUATION

New York Stock Exchange Suddenly Reverses Its Plans—Had Hoped to Renew Trading Saturday. Opposition Developed.

New York, Nov. 19.—That the country's financial machinery in its relation to the securities market still calls for delicate handling was made evident today by a sudden reversal of a plan of the New York Stock Exchange to resume trading in bonds at an early date.

Officials of the exchange earlier in the day had authorized the definite statement that open dealings in all classes of bonds listed on the board, which approximate 12,600 issues, would be resumed Saturday, subject to "minimum prices." The news was received with satisfaction by many members and in some cases arrangements immediately were made to open communication by telephone and telegraph with out-of-town branch offices and clients.

In the early afternoon after a hurried conference between the governors and leading banking interests, word came that the entire project had been abandoned for an indefinite period.

The "Committee of Five" exercising plenary powers over the exchange during its period of closure stating that the "magnitude of the interests affected has led to unforeseen difficulties which will necessitate further consideration."

The nature of the difficulties was not disclosed, but it was learned formidable opposition had emanated from several quarters. Some of the largest band dealers were said to have emphasized their disapproval on the ground that the time set for resumption was too short to permit careful handling of their commitments. Others opposed renewal of operations because they believed heavy selling orders from abroad would follow. Color was given to this belief by the fact that prices of listed stocks in the unofficial market had receded several points during the morning on supposed foreign offerings.

Banks and other financial institutions with a large Wall Street clientele also were reported to have advised against open trading because of the possible effect on the loan situation and the international banking group was declared to have expressed its opposition because of the lack of encouragement from London and the uncertainties attending the entire foreign exchange situation.

RUSSO-GERMAN BATTLE MAY DETERMINE WAR

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said, the Good Hope, Rear Admiral Cradock's flagship, considering the higher power of the German guns, ordered the Glasgow and the transport Otranto to seek refuge. Notwithstanding this order, the Glasgow answered the German fire.

In the first minutes of the fight, officers of the Glasgow say the Good Hope had one of her 9.2 inch guns dismantled and then her gun powder stores exploded.

SUBSCRIBE TO WAR LOAN.

More Than $200,000,000 Already Raised in Austria.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Dispatches from Austria-Hungarian foreign office to the embassy here today announced that more than $200,000,000 had been subscribed to the government's new war loan, although subscriptions will not be opened formally until tomorrow The message added:

"London advices concerning alleged dissensions between the Austrian and the German army commands and the blooded quarrel between Austria-Hungarian and German soldiers are boldfaced inventions.

"In Servia the Austro-Hungarian troops advanced despite inclement weather and the stubborn resistance of the Servians, who suffered heavy losses. Fourteen hundred captives, among them 21 officers, yesterday were conveyed from Bosnia to the interior of the monarchy.

"Around Przemysl there is little activity. Yesterday, however, the garrison made sorties and repulsed the enemy on the heights of ....." (name of place missing.)

GREAT POWDER DISCOVERED.

Said to Almost Immediately Stop the Flow of Blood.

Geneva, Switzerland, Nov. 19, via Paris—A preparation which it is claimed will stop almost instantly the flow of blood from a wound has been invented by Prof. Theodor Kocher, of Berne, winner of the Nobel Prize for surgery in 1912, and his assistant, Dr. A. Fonce. The new preparation, called Coagulen, is a powder, and is dissolved in water before being applied to a wound.

The discoverers have made a gift of their invention to the armies in the field and have sent large quantities of the powder to French and German surgical headquarters. Medical men here declare the lives of thousands of soldiers probably will be saved by it. It can be applied by untrained hands, it is said, or by the wounded man himself.

CAPTAIN BENJABIN B. DAILEY PASSES AWAY

Life Saver at Hatteras is Dead—Known for His Bravery all Along Coast.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 19.—Captain Benjamin B. Bailey, for many years a life saver at Hatteras, N. C., died at his home in Dare county, N. C., today. He was 73 years old.

Captain Dailey was known from one end of the coast to the other by old mariners for his bravery. He was presented with a gold medal by Congress in 1884 for bravery in rescuing the crew of the schooner Ephraim Williams, which went ashore off Hatteras during a storm.

Follow the crowds to Polvogt's 10-day cut price sale, now in full swing. (Advertisement.)

FARMERS UNION WANTS A STATE-WIDE PRIMARY

Legislative Program Outlined by State Convention

Old Officers Are Re-Elected—Race Segregation in Ownership of Lands is Urged—Committee to Work for Rural Credit.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Greenville, N. C., Nov. 19.—After mapping out its legislative programme and electing officers, all old officers being re-elected except S. H. Hobbs, declining, and R. H. W. Stone succeeding him on the executive committee, the most successful session in the North Carolina State Farmers' Union's history has closed. The Union is in a vigorous, healthy condition, with over $2,000 gain int he treasury over last year.

The legislative programme demands a legalized primary for all officers from President down, and on the same day.

Land segregation between the races is demanded, permitting any community to limit future sales. Repeal of the crop lien law was strongly advocated; also a 50 per cent reduction in cotton acreage.

Farmers are urged to organize mutual fire insurance associations and get Torrens deeds in all land transfers.

Great interest was shown in community service week and all educational matters, compulsory school attendance from eight up to 14 years being advocated.

A committee on rural credits was named to evolve plans for the State and Nation.

Other resolutions favor abolishing the office of county treasurer; larger inheritance and income taxes and demanding that public service lawyers resign such positions before taking public office.

The meeting closed tonight with an address by Prof. E. C. Branson, of the University of North Carolina, and a musical entertainment by Training School girls.

HARMONY PREVAILS IN M. E. CONFERENCE

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J. W. Martin, of the Raleigh district, was located.

The following remain on trial and were advanced to the class of the second year: H. B. Porter, E. C. Durham, W. A. Cade, W .F. Trawick, Daniel Lane, W. B. Humble.

The following failed to pass and remain in the class of the first year: W. J. Covington, C. E. Durham, M. B. Cox, F. A. Lupton, F. T. Fulcher, W. B. Humble and R. N. Fitts.

Admitted to Full Connection.

The following were admitted into full connection: T. W. Lee, J. L. Midgett, J. H. Miller, B. B. Slaughter, H. C. Smith, N. M. Wright, G. W. Perry, E. D. Dodd, W. V McRae, J. A. Morris, C. E. Vale.

Conference adjourned at 1 o'clock with the singing of the doxology. There are no meetings during the afternoon, the time being taken up with the meetings of boards and committees. The bishop and his cabinet of presiding elders have been kept busy in cabinet meetings.

The work of the conference seems to be moving with dispatch under the smooth and gracious presiding hand of Bishop Waterhouse. The session has been an unusually harmonious one so far and the business at the close of the second day's session was well in hand.

The event of this evening was the anniversary of the board of church extension. The address was made by Dr. T. N. Ivey, of Nashville, Tenn., editor of the Nashville Christian Advocate.

The committees of the conference named by the bishop are as follows:

Books and Periodicals—A. L. Ormond, E. B. Craven, H. E. Spence, N. H. D. Wilson, C. B. Culbreth, J. A. Lee, L. T. Singleton, M. Bradshaw, W. A. Stanberry, Lay—W. P. Few, J. B Leigh, A. D Muse, Y. T. Ormond, R. T. Surles, E. H. Gibson, J. C. Hardy, J. F. Bruton, C. D. Koonce.

Conference Relations—R. C. Craven, G. W Fisher, C. W. Robinson, F. H. McWhorter. J. C. Wooten, W. E. Coltrane, R. C. Beaman, J. W. Autry, G. T. Adams.

Church Property—J. A. Daily, C. A. Jones, L. M. Chaffin, C. D. Durant, L. H. Joyner, B. E. Stanfield, Marvin Self, J. F. Thompson, J. P. Pate, Lay—E. W. Atwater, S. P. Hatch, W. J. Hales, W. W. Brothers, Z. V. Snipes, R. D. Gibson, W. V. Woodruff, W. K. Jacobson, M. R. Sabiston.

District Conference Records—J. A. Martin, J. E. Blalock, T. C. Ellers, J. W. Bradley, J. G. Johnson, O. W. Dowd, J. T. Stanfield, W. T. Phipps, E. C. Sell.

Temperance—J. J. Boone, C. W. Smith, T. H. Sutton, D. W. Caviness, G. W. Starling, E. H. Davis, R. W. Bailey, J. L. Rumley, B. H. Black, J. B. Atwater. Lay—Allan Browning, L. T. Houston, Daniel Lane, Dr. A. Anderson, L. S. Covington, R. B. Boyd, A. B. Swindell, R. P. Raiford.

Sabbath Observance—S. F. Nicks, T. M. Grant, G. B. Starling, F. B. McCall, G. S. Brearden, J .B. Hurley, E. N. Harrison, C. L. Read, T. C. Vickers. Lay—J. T. Ware, Z. W. Evans, P. S. Cooper, Richard Johnson, F. B. McKinnie, B. S. Barnes, Dr. D. B. Zoillicoffer, J. C. Braswell, C. D. Koonce.

Memoirs—J. T. Gibbs and J. N. Cole.

VILLA CONTINUES MARCH ON CAPITAL

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think, however, that they now are about convinced, and when once convinced more loyal friends are not to be found."

The speaker closed with a plea for "a warmer and kindlier interest in these, our neighbors."

"They bear us no ill will," he declared. "They need our good will. We need theirs. We must be friends in peace and allies in trouble. The people of Mexico dwell in a rich and beautiful land. I feel that they are a people of great promise. They have suffered vicissitudes which we have escaped. I believe that they are emerging into the light of a new and better day."

In spite of the bad weather crowds attended the cut price sale now going on at Polvogt's. (advertisement.)

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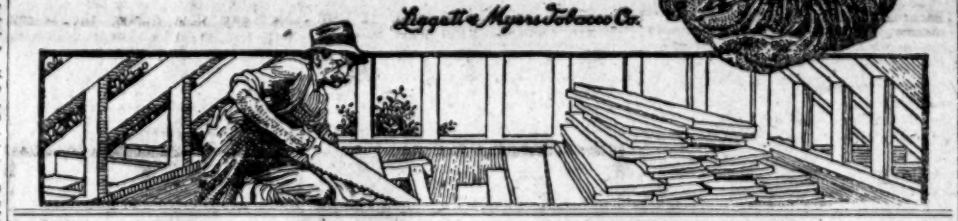

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LABOR FEDERATION ON AMALGAMATION PLANS

Uniting of Different Union Bodies Discussed

Important Jurisdictional Fight Between Elevator Builders and Machinists Finally Settled in the Convention.

Philadelphia, Nov. 19.—What was regarded as the most important jurisdictional fight in the American Federation of Labor this year was settled in convention today in favor of the International Union of Elevator Constructors over the International Association of Machinists.

For more than five years the machinists have sought to have the elevator constructors amalgamated with them to do away with numerous jurisdictional disputes.

Today the committee of adjustment reported a resolution favoring amalgamation. After protracted debate James Duncan, first vice president of the Federation, offered a substitute resolution providing that the present status of the elevator constructors be continued with the understanding that the elevator men, machinists and allied trades make every effort by trade agreements and otherwise to erect only with material that had been manufactured by union men. The substitute was adopted by a vote of 11,590 to 8,048.

Nearly the entire day's session was taken up with the report of the committee on adjustment, which reported amicable settlement of a number of disputes.

The trouble between the stationery engineers and firemen was referred to a future conference of those involved with a view to amalgamation. Further efforts also will be made to bring amalgamation of the lithographers and the lithographic press feeders.

A long fight over absorption of the American Brotherhood of Cement Workers by the International Hod Carriers, Building and Common Laborers' Union of America, resulted in instructions to the executive council to make further efforts to have the cement workers agree to the absorption proposal.

WAS PAINFULLY INJURED BY EXPLOSION OF GAS.

Accident at Newbern—Pitched Battle With Moonshiners.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Newbern, N. C., Nov. 19.—John Dunn, a member of the firm of J. G. Dunn & Company, who conduct a mercantile establishment on Pollock street, was painfully injured late yesterday afternoon by an explosion of gas which had accumulated in the vault and which was ignited with a match in the hands of Mr. Dunn. A short time before the explosion Mr. Dunn had been in the vault and lit a small gas stove which was located there. Going out of the vault the door was closed and, naturally, after the gas flame had exhausted the supply of oxygen contained in the air of the vault, the flame became extinguished and the flow of gas continued. Mr. Dunn returned to the vault some time later and, thoughtlessly struck a match to light the gas. Immediately there was an explosion and he was knocked down and suffered burns on his face. He was carried to his home on Middle street and given medical attention. His injuries are not thought to be serious.

Sheriff R. B. Lane and Deputies E. J. Bayliss and T. W. Holton left Newbern yesterday morning for a point on the Craven-Carteret county lines, where several days ago a party of officers had a pitched battle with moonshiners. The object of the sheriff's visit is to capture the blockaders and he is said to have information which will doubtless be of considerable aid in locating the men. The sheriff and his posse were heavily armed and will be prepared for the 'shiners in case there is any more shooting matches pulled off.

Newbern's new motor driven fire engine has arrived in the city after a long series of delays and is now awaiting the arrival of a man from the factory to put it together and get it in operation. For years Newbern's fires have been fought with the two steam engines which the city owns. These engines have been good ones in their day and in fact one of them now holds the world's record for quick steaming. The city, however, is growing and more adequate fire fighting apparatus is needed and the board of aldermen several months ago placed an order for the new machine. The apparatus is said to be one of the most modern shipped to this state up to the present time and cost $10,000.

SECRETARY HOUSTON TO SPEAK AT ABERDEEN, N. C.

Some Time Between Now and Christmas—Native of North Carolina.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., Nov. 19.—Secretary of Agriculture Houston told Representative Page today that he would make a speech at Aberdeen some time between now and the Christmas holidays, the exact date to be determined as soon as Mr. Houston can arrange his affairs here in such a way as to permit him to leave Washington.

The Secretary will speak to a gathering of farmers, and it is expected that a large crowd will be on hand to hear the former North Carolinian. Mr. Houston was born near Monroe.

Representative and Mrs. Page went to Norfolk and Old Point tonight for a week-end rest before Mr. Page begins hearings on the pan bill for the District of Columbia. P. R. A.

RICHMOND, VA., MAY GET BALTIMORE FRANCHISE

Other International Franchises Are Said to Be on the Market.

New York, Nov. 19.—Richmond, Va., may obtain the Baltimore International Baseball Club franchise, according to a statement today by Edward Barrow, president of the league. Barrow predicts that if the peace negotiations between the Federal League and organized baseball fail through both Jersey City and Baltimore will lose their franchises. He added that the Jersey City team will play in Brooklyn and the Baltimore franchise will be shifted to either Syracuse, N. Y., or Richmond, Va.

Follow the crowds to Polvogt's 10-day cut price sale, now in full swing. (Advertisement.)

SPORTS

HARVARD-YALE TEAMS WORK IN RAIN AND SNOW

Regardless of Northeaster, is Practice Taken.

Harvard Offering Money at Ten to Nine Odds—Weather Man Predicts Cold but Clear for Saturday—Crowds.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 19.—A northeaster bringing with it two inches of rain and snow made no difference with the plans of the Harvard and Yale football teams today. The Crimson advance guard of 20 players, Head Coach Haughton, and assistant coaches, had what was termed a "satisfactory tryout" in the new bowl.

Captain Brinkley kicked goals with usual accuracy, although the gridiron was covered with slush and the water stood inches deep. After a short signal drill the players left for New Haven to join the rest of the Harvard squad tomorrow.

While the Harvard players were getting accustomed to the bowl, Head Coach Hinkey sent the Yale players through a long secret signal drill on old Yale field. The players handled the water-soaked pig skin in the complicated lateral and forward passes without a fumble. Tonight the players were sent through another signal drill in the baseball cage.

Football enthusiasts were apprehensive today because of weather conditions, but the weather bureau said indications point to a fair cold Saturday.

Harvard students sent $3,000 here to bet on their team at odds of 10 to 9. Yale men covered the bets.

TO DECIDE CHAMPIONSHIP OF EASTERN CAROLINA

Schedule of High School Football Games is Arranged.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Goldsboro, N. C., Nov. 19.—Principals and coaches of the high schools of Washington, Wilmington, Raleigh and Goldsboro met with the representative from Chapel Hill here last night to decide preliminaries relative to the high school championship of Eastern North Carolina in football offered by the University of North Carolina. This gathering came together with the university's representative for the purpose of making plans to play off the ties between these leading teams.

It was agreed in this conference that the following schedule of games should be played: Goldsboro vs. Washington at Goldsboro, Monday, November 23; Wilmington vs. Raleigh at Goldsboro, Saturday, November 28; time at 3 o'clock.

The winners of these contests are to meet at an agreed point to play for the championship of East Carolina, Saturday, December 5; the successful team thereafter to meet at Chapel Hill, December 12, the warriors of the successful runners up from West Carolina to be selected from Huntersville, Shelby and Asheville, thereby deciding the high school championship of the entire State.

Goldsboro feels honored in that its team has had such a successful season as to be among the contestants for this championship; also that the city has been selected for these high school football classics.

The following gentlemen represented their cities: E. R. Rankin was present for the university: H. S. Shaw for Wilmington; S. B. Phillips, Raleigh; C. L. Midcap, Washington; W. F. Allen and G. K. Freeman, Goldsboro.

Don't fail to attend the C. W. Polvogt Co., great ten-day sale now wgoing on. (advertisement.)

Roger Bresnahan To Manage Cubs

SUCCEEDS "HANK" O'DAY, AFTER HIS REIGN LASTING BUT A SINGLE SEASON.

Cincinnati, Nov. 19.—Roger Bresnahan was today appointed manager of the Chicago National League Baseball club, following a meeting between President Thomas of the club, Charles P. Taft, owner of the majority of the stock of the club and Bresnahan. He succeeds Henry O'Day. Bresnahan signed a contract for three years, but the figures in this document were not announced. Bresnahan was formerly catcher for the New York Nationals, former manager of the St. Louis Nationals and last season was catcher for the team he signed to manage today.

GOOD FOOTBALL GAME AT SUNSET SATURDAY

All-Stars Play Strong Fort Caswell Organization.

The All-Stars, the strongest local football organization in the city, will meet the famous Fort Caswell eleven at Sunset Park Saturday afternoon, in what promises to be the hottest contested game of the season on a local diamond.

The Wilmington boys have been practicing hard all the week for the game, and their enthusiasm knows no bounds, and they are confident of holding their own against the strong aggregation from the fort, who under the coaching of Gillespie, all-American end, Cool, South-Atlantic halfback, have developed into one of the strongest teams the post has ever had. The lineup for the game will be as follows:

Caswell.		All-Stars.
Huelsin	LE	C. Taylor Shannon.
Anderson	LT	C. Terry, H. Harris.
Putnam	LG	M. Rhodes, C. Rivenbark.
Bland	C	Lewis
Fifle	RG	Bellamy
Vogel	RT	Burnett Johnson.
Mahqhey	RE	Strange Shepard.
Richardson	QB	Lord
Long	RH	Burgwin, Bizzell.
Brennan	LH	McKenzie, Myers.
Clark	FB	Laugheridge. Shaw.

The admission for adults will be 25 cents, and for children 15 cents. The game will be called promptly at 3 o'clock.

GOLFERS INTERESTED IN SELECTED SCORE CONTEST

Competition Began November 12 and Will Continue Until Next May.

Golfers at the Cape Fear Country Club are showing considerable interest in the "selected score" competition which began on November 12, and will continue until May 1, 1915. This is a new event for the local club and consists of posting the low scores on individual holes which may be selected by any player from rounds of at least nine holes made any time between the dates named.

Each player entered in the event posts opposite his name the low scores made by him on the holes he may wish to select and drops his attested score card for the round in the record box. The score made on the selected holes must be marked with a circle and the card dated, marked "selected score competition" and deposited on the day of play.

At any time during the season when a player makes a better score for any given hole he is entitled to erase the posted score for that hole and substitute the new figure, depositing his attested score card as before.

A cup is offered by the club for the lowest total score for the nine holes made in this manner by the closing date, May 1 next, and every player has an opportunity to receive recognition for the brilliant playing he does "in spots" any time during the season, whether in practice rounds or during some other club tournament.

Teach your dollars to have more sense by attending Polvogt's great 10-day cut price sale. (advertisement.)

SOUTHERN PROCEEDING WITH DOUBLE-TRACKING

Spending Millions Between Greensboro and Lynchburg.

Line All the Way from Charlotte to Washington Expected to be Double Track by Next Summer. Many Men at Work.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., Nov. 19.—From Greensboro to Lynchburg, a distance of more than 100 miles, half a dozen or more different camps and forces of men are located, and the men are hard at work grading for the double track line of the Southern Railway Company. Nearly one-third of the grading for the uncompleted parts of the line is finished, and at the rate the work is being done the grading will be finished before the spring months. It is believed that there will be a double-tracked line from Charlotte to Washington by or before the middle of next summer.

The line is double tracked from Greensboro to Concord, and from Charlotte to Harrisburg, leaving only the short distance between Harrisburg and Concord unfinished. The work from Danville to Pelham and from Danville to Chatham has also been in operation for some time. The cost of this work to the Southern Railway Company will run into millions of dollars. It will give to the system the only double track line that extends from Washington to North Carolina, or the South.

The large force of men in the State at this time spend a considerable amount of money, and a large part of the money spent by the railroad company and the contractors is spent in and around Greensboro for supplies, feed and other things used by them.

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1914.

Nobody has thought of sending a Christmas ship to Mexico.

Next Thursday is Thanksgiving Day, and then it will be only 29 days till Christmas.

Most people make it a rule to eat when they can get it—not the rule, but something to eat.

The average man lets his wife be the pillar of the church while he is content to be the pillar sham.

Everybody is neutral but they think it's awful when the side they are on can't annihilate the other and stop the war.

The South will sooner or later find out that it pays better to feed and clothe itself than to clothe others and let them feed us.

A man's idea of dinner is that it is all nonsense to presume that buckwheat cakes and fried chicken are suitable for breakfast only.

The trouble with the Mexicans is that they haven't yet fought to a finish so all will some day be glad to strive for peace by common consent.

It is curious when a man gets into politics and gets beaten for an office he thinks he ought to be appointed to some other kind of office to make up for it.

When a man gets a good office he wants to stay in till he dies but if he had his choice he would prefer to live and stay in office than to die and leave it for some other man.

Some people avoid purchasing purple cabbages, but we are not able to state whether the color scheme has anything to do with making some green cabbages have a dark brown taste.

A Texas man has succeeded in producing a deodorized onion. Of course, that is a wonderful achievement, but so far as we are concerned it is hoped he has ruined only one onion.

Cruelty to animals never controls the sentiment of a man when he has to kill a snake or to get the goat of a man who has determined on getting his. It's only the docility of a kid that enables a hyena to fill its paunch with kid.

Evidently the Mexicans are in a state of unrest and the causes will have to be eradicated by war and plenty of it till the nation is fused into a reconciled mass. They need conquering and so long as they are on the job themselves it is no more our business to do it than it is to call down the disturbed European situation which is to find its only solution in war to the finish. Our interests naturally are affected by war anywhere. We may have regrets. We may be insufferably annoyed. We may suffer losses. Our patience may be strained. Yet when any people are disposed to fight as a last resort, there is no logical reason why we should mix in the fight so long as they are perfectly willing to do all the fighting and bear all the expense.

A man hates to see his wife do the cooking but he enjoys it. A Wilmington man made up his mind to persuade his wife that her hatred of the kitchen was merely psychological. In order to make cooking positively attractive he bought the latest style of stove, kept it polished for her and decorated it with flowers. His idea about cooking was that it should be made perfectly lovely. He worked himself up to the philosophical conclusion that cooking could be made an agreeable pastime, and his idea of the solution of the cooking problem was to banish its drudgery feature and work off a new state of mind on his wife by creating more exalted ideas of kitchen life. For fear, however, that she might get sick sometimes, he permitted her to teach him how to cook, with the result that she never "feels well" when the mornings are cold.

A GREAT DEMOCRATIC ACHIEVEMENT.

The Federal Reserve Banking law which went into operation last Monday is now coming in for commendation from financial sources and generally from financial journals. Of course, the new banking system is in its experimental stage, but its features are recognized as so well adapted to safe and better banking, that only caution is necessary to make it meet the banking demands of the country in a way heretofore unequalled. It provides for both a money and a credit asset, and that is what business has always been looking for without hope till a Democratic Congress paved the way for it. In a long editorial on the new law, the New York Journal of Commerce says of one of its features:

"One of the most useful results of the transition from the old system to the new, and one which will be immediately availed of, is that of giving greater mobility to one of the chief assets of sound banking, the commercial paper held as security for current business loans. This as defined and prescribed will have a character of practically assured safety. At first this paper, offered by member banks for re-discount by the reserve banks, may be deposited with the reserve agents and count as one-half the reserve to be there deposited. This is one of the features of operation that should be conducted with care, as it will in itself be a substitution of credit for cash in reserves, and it is doubtful how far it should be carried. Weakening reserves by mingling cash and credit and making the former do double duty is a questionable policy at best. Of this discounting and re-discounting process much is expected in the way of facilitating exchange operations in domestic trade. A very useful development is likely to come of it under the competent management which we have a right to expect."

Another feature which New York's great financial paper commends in the new system of which it is said much is to be expected—that of supplying an elastic element in the circulating currency of the country. Hereafter, one part of the country cannot have unlimited money while the demand in other parts of the country for money cannot be supplied, as was frequently the case under the old law. The country ought to be thankful for Democracy.

WAY TO EVADE THE CLAYTON LAW.

Already Northern bankers and manufacturers who have been conducting their business with interlocking directorates have found a way to evade the Clayton anti-trust law which prohibits a director of one institution from serving on the board of directors of allied corporations. The law declares that after two years from its enactment no person shall at the same time be a director in two or more corporations, any one of which has capital, surplus and undivided profits aggregating more than $1,000,000, provided such corporations are "engaged in whole or in part in interstate commerce."

A dispatch from New Bedford, Conn., says the prohibition of interlocking directorates would work badly for the allied cotton manufacturing companies of that great cotton manufacturing center and it is declared that inevitably it will be evaded. The evasion will consist of establishing executive committees to act in a sort of advisory capacity to different boards of directors. In other words, the executive committees will be directors on the outside, really doing the work and leaving it to each board of directors to ratify the work of the executive committee acting for two or more corporations.

It seems that there is always a way to get around the law, but a better plan would be to secure alterations in the law to meet certain cases, rather than evade the law and thus cause more teeth to be inserted in a manner that they are bound to bite.

WILL USE COTTON BAGS.

Messrs. Swift & Company, of Chicago, Kansas City and Wilmington, have notified the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce, through their local representative, Mr. H. McC. Stanford, that hereafter that company will substitute cotton bags and packing cloths for the jute article in every branch of their business. They are among America's largest meat packers and fertilizer manufacturers, and their industries consume 10,000,000 yards of bagging material every year.

Thus goes forward the worthwhile cotton bag campaign initiated by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce. It means the creation of a demand for many more thousands of bales of cotton, and the New York World was right a few days ago, when it referred to increasing the demand for cotton as a "Help America" movement. Of course, it helps the South, but since the South is merely the cotton producing section of the United States, the industry constitutes one of America's peculiar resources. In fact, it is practically a distinctive American resource, since this country supplies the world with two-thirds of its cotton.

Messrs. Swift & Company find that cotton bagging amply answers all the uses to which jute bagging has been put in their business, and it is estimated that if the thousands of manufacturers in this country who have heretofore used jute bagging will adopt the cotton article, it will create a demand for not less than 3,000,000 bales of cotton more than are at present consumed in this country.

Wilmington is particularly interested in Messrs. Swift & Company's decision in this matter, for the company has a large packing house distributing plant in this city and one of its largest fertilizer plants is located on the Cape Fear just outside the city limits.

RUN INTO WAR TAXES.

Multimillionaire income tax dodgers who went to England and expatriated themselves to escape their share of the burden of supporting the United States government, will have to shift back to the United States to escape war taxes which it is necessary for Great Britain to levy. Sir Lloyd George, Master of the Exchequer, has estimated that it will cost Great Britain $2,500,000,000 a year to conduct the war with Germany and in order to provide for it the government would issue $1,750,000,000 in bonds to be sold at 95 cents, bearing 3 1-2 per cent interest and redeemable at par March 1st, 1928—fourteen years from now. The balance of the sinews of war will be raised by doubling the income tax and increasing the taxes on beer and tea.

One-third of the war loan was subscribed on the first day the loan was offered, and the war tax law will go into effect at once. A tax of six cents a pound on tea has been levied and beer will be taxed at the equivalent of one cent per glass, or 17 shillings, 3 pence a barrel. Tea drinkers will have to pay more for tea and a man who drinks three glasses of beer a day will have to pay $10.95 a year in addition to what he blows in to slake his thirst. At any rate, the brewers will pay the tax and it will be handed down to the guzzlers or consumers.

It is believed that the income tax will drive a lot of money to America, but it is hoped Americans who have adopted England for their country will be caught if they try to dodge the war tax in any shape or form.

THE ELEMENT OF OBLIGATION

Speaking of the importance of choosing the right kind of man for speaker, it would be a calamity if the Democrats in the next House should choose for presiding officer a man who, admitting that he holds his seat in that body only by the grace of a few regular Republicans who voted for him on personal grounds, is under greater obligations to those few who "put him over" than to all the Democrats in his county and the State, who he knows were unable to turn the trick for him, even though he ever so loudly proclaims his Democracy. The element of human nature must be eliminated from a man before he fails in matters of legislation and politics to give greatest consideration to the desires and demands of those to whom he is under greatest obligation and who hold his political future in their hands. A word to the wise should be sufficient.

Count Bernstorff has complained to Secretary Bryan that the British government has given Charles M. Schwab, of the Steel Trust, orders for $100,000,000 worth of war munitions. It looks like a violation of neutrality on the part of Mr. Schwab, but he will be only too glad to prove his impartiality by duplicating all orders for Germany. Charles M. has more luck than neutrality. While it has been the luck of some of us to be loaded down with cotton, Schwab has the iron works and never knows what calamity is, except that the country has a Democratic President who is down on protection. No doubt, however, our old friend Schwab highly approves free trade in England. Protection in England would be awful on Schwab's export trade.

An actress shot at a New Orleans man who annoyed her and thereupon he acted in self-defense by shooting around the corner in the opposite direction from the actress. A good rule is, never annoy a shooting star, and never follow a leading lady.

Forget the ten amendments! Every time we recall their defeat, we regard it as the equivalent of reconfirming the Canby constitution, saddled on North Carolina during the reconstruction period. The 1868 verbiage of portions of that constitution ought to be offensive to 1914 North Carolinians.

CURRENT COMMENT.

It is at least to the credit of the farmers that they are not rushing their cotton to market through fear of its going lower.—Durham Herald.

Southport has a lot to be thankful for this Thanksgiving, inasmuch as the hard times are felt here but little.—Southport News.

Southern delegates announced in the suffrage convention that their caucus had decided to concentrate their energies on winning Alabama for woman suffrage during the coming year. There is not going to be much in the name of that state, which means Here We Rest. —Greensboro News.

Mr. H. P. Bilyew, of Southern Pines, was in Carthage yesterday and is optimistic regarding the future of this county in scuppernong grape culture. He sees a great future for us in grape culture and is busily engaged in propagating vines so as to be able to supply the demand. He has already booked for future delivery orders as large as 10,000 plants.—Moore County News.

And now it is asserted that hundreds, perhaps thousands, of North Carolina citizens voted "against" the amendments when they intended to vote "for" them. Did genius run amuck when it framed the constitutional ballots? asks the Asheville Citizen. It is possible that genius in preparing these ballots was not altogether up to its customary capacity for taking pains, but the number of people who voted against the amendments when intending to vote for them is probably negligible, calculating from the experience of a few whom we have interrogated on the subject. Besides, for a person who did not know or was not told how to mark the ballots, it would have been as easy to vote "yes" when intending to vote "no" as vice versa.—Raleigh News and Observer.

Republicans who talk lightly of making the tariff the great issue between the two parties will do well to give a little study to the Senatorial returns of last week's election. Owing to the unexpected success of the Democrats in electing their candidates in such normally Republican states as Wisconsin, South Dakota, Oregon and other Western communities, their grip on the Senate is now practically clinched until 1921. However much darkest Pennsylvania may object to a moderate tariff, it has evidently found favor in the West in both parties, and there is no more likelihood that the United States will return to the schedules of the Payne-Aldrich bill than that it will restore human slavery. Beating the Protection drum will win no converts in the Senate.—Philadelphia Record.

Present conditions should dispel the queer notion held by a part of the people that the producer of cotton or other crops is of more importance in the scheme of things than other men. Cotton that can not be moved is of no service and when war stops the wheels of European mills and the engines of trans-Atlantic ships, it is pretty plain that the mill owner and the ship owner are as useful as the farmer. In South Carolina there are probably not half a dozen Jews engaged in farming—we do not know of one. The formation of the cotton pool of $135,000,000 was completed, however, by the subscription of a million dollars by a native of South Carolina and a member of the Jewish race, Dr. Bernard Baruch. Dr. Baruch contributes heavily to the saving of perhaps millions of dollars by South Carolina farmers, which is a greater service to the cotton industry than would have been the production of ten thousand bales by himself—Columbia State.

BISHOP COPPIN INSPIRING COLORED N. C. CONFERENCE

Greater Work by the Churches is in Prospect—Good Reports Made.

Smithfield, N. C., Nov. 19.—In a quiet and effective manner, Bishop L. J. Coppin, D. D., of Philadelphia, presiding over the 46th annual session of the North Carolina Conference of the African Methodist Episcopal church, being held here, is making this conference a strong factor in the activities of this denomination, which supports and operates more than 20 institutions of learning in this country and Africa and owns and operates two large publishing houses which print their Sunday school and other church literature. This denomination is doing a more effective work in Africa than any other negro religious body.

The bishop is emphasizing that in order for the ministry to be efficient and to meet the needs of today intelligent preparation is essential. The needs of the negro in the rural districts are being carefully considered by the bishop and the conference and from present indications this progressive agency for the uplift of the negro and the reaching of the unreached in Africa is going to do a greater work in every section of the conference next year than ever before.

Dr. K. C. Holt, presiding elder of the Durham district of the Western North Carolina conference of this church, and Berry O'Kelly, one of the leading laymen of this conference and president of the Negro State Fair, made helpful addresses.

That the communicants of this religious body are contributing for educational, missionary and other departments of the work is strikingly set forth in the reports being made. St. Stephens, Mount Olive and Mount Zion churches, located in Wilmington, are among the churches making fine reports, which show that the ministers have largely overcome the financial stringency of the times.

There is already a keen interest manifested in the selection of the city for the next annual conference. Wilmington and Newbern are after it, but it is being conceded by many of the ministers that Wilmington will get the conference.

Being the oldest leader of this church in North Carolina and an able legislator, Dr. R. W. H. Leake, presiding elder of the Greensboro district, Western North Carolina conference, is enlivening this conference with his wisdom and wit.

G. F. K.

FUNERAL OF MR. H. C. CURTIS

Held From St. James' Church Here Yesterday Morning.

The funeral of Mr. Howard C. Curtis, postmaster at Southport, whose death occurred at Washington, N. C., early Wednesday morning, was held from St. James Episcopal church, this city, yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, the remains having been brought to Wilmington Wednesday evening.

In the absence of the rector, Rev. Dr. William H. Milton, the services were conducted by Rev. W. E. Cox and Rev. Edward Wooten. The services were attended by a large number of sorrowing friends in this city, as well as a number of friends and relatives from Southport.

Following the services at the church, the remains were borne to Oakdale cemetery, where interment was made. The grave was covered with many handsome floral designs, sent by friends here and elsewhere all over this section. The pallbearers were J. W. Ruark, Esq., Rivers St. George and Ed Newton, of Southport and Burke H. Bridgers, Milton, Calder and Louis T. Moore, of Wilmington.

QUIT MEAT WHEN KIDNEYS BOTHER

Take a Glass of Salts Before Breakfast if Your Back Hurts or Bladder is Troubling You.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well known authority. Meat forms uric acid which excites the kidneys, they become overworked from the strain, get sluggish and fail to filter the waste and poisons from the blood, then we get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, dizziness, sleeplessness and urinary disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, stop eating meat and get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate the kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

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One of the two special cars of the American Red Cross Society, fitted up especially for giving instruction in first aid to the injured to railroad employes and other interested persons, arrived in Wilmington yesterday and will remain here through tomorrow. It is in charge of Dr. M. J. Shields, who gave three most instructive lectures and demonstrations yesterday. The car was filled at each lecture, most of those attending being railroad men.

The car is now traversing the entire Atlantic Coast Line system under the direction of Dr. G. G. Thomas, in charge of the medical department of the Atlantic Coast Line, and it is through the courtesy of this enterprising road that the people of Wilmington have this opportunity of hearing these lectures by a man who is devoting his life to this splendid work.

The car is on track No. 2 in the Union Station shed. Dr. Shields will lecture and give demonstrations in methods for furnishing quick relief from 11 to 12 and from 4 to 5 this afternoon and again tonight at 8 o'clock. Lectures will be given at the same hours tomorrow with the exception of the one at night. Dr. Thomas extends an invitation to manufacturers as well as the public in Wilmington and vicinity to avail themselves of this opportunity to have their employes attend the lectures and secure much useful information. The car goes from Wilmington to Florence, S. C.

Dr. Shields devotes most of his lecture to practical demonstrations of methods for providing quick relief to those who suffer from accidents and this makes the lectures especially helpful. He uses only the ordinary objects such afe as likely to be found at any place and in this way the lectures and demonstrations are very practical indeed.

The work was started five years ago by the American Red Cross Society and since that time the two cars in which instruction is given for furnishing first aid to the injured have traversed 180,000 miles of railroad and lectures have been given in all the principal cities of the country. One of the cars is now west of the Mississippi.

Dr. Shields stated last night in his lecture that the accident record of the Atlantic Coast Line would compare most favorably with that of any railroad in the United States. He emphasized the need of accident prevention and declared that fully three-fourths of the accidents belong to the class that can be prevented.

Everyone should realize the special danger of his or her employment, he said.

Dr. Shields has taken a prominent part in the organization of the first aid department of the American Red Cross and has aided in the preparation of several of the texbooks. He makes his home on the car and has everything well fitted up for carrying on his work.

BIKE DISAPPEARED

Burgaw Man Found Bicycle in Wilmington Pawn Shop.

Claud Smith, of Burgaw, missed his bicycle a few days ago and by advertising in The Morning Star discovered that it had been brought to Wilmington, presumably by a negro, and pawned for a small amount of money. His brother, John Smith, was in the city yesterday and last night saw Richard Soulter, colored, at the carnival at Fourth and Castle streets. This negro is supposed to have been the one who pawned the bicycle and Smith swore out a warrant, charging him with larceny. Plainclothesman Frank George and B. W. Jacobs arrested Soulter and locked him up.

Frank Teachey, colored, who was arrested by the police Wednesday night on a charge of having stolen two razors and some clothes from a Burgaw negro, was taken back to Burgaw yesterday for trial.

COTTON CLOTH FOR SACKS

Swift & Co. Will Use 10,000,000 Yards at Different Plants.

Mr. R. McC. Stanford, manager of the Swift Fertilizer Works, has received a letter from the headquarters of his company stating that they will use during the ensuing year 10,000,000 yards of cotton cloth at their different plants throughout the United States. The bulk of this cotton will probably be used in their meat packing establishments, the principal one of which is located in Chicago.

The movement to secure an increased use of cotton cloth in sacking products instead of jute bags was inaugurated by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce in the early fall and since that time many of the big manufacturing firms of the country have declared their intention of using as much cotton cloth as possible for their products. By this use of cotton its demand can be very materially increased.

STEREOPTICON VIEWS

Lecture at Immanuel Presbyterian Hall This Evening.

Stereopticon views of the home mission work of the Southern Presbyterian church will be given at Immanuel hall, corner Front and Queen streets, tonight at 8 o'clock. In connection with the views that there will be a lecture on the scenes illustrated which will be very instructive. There will be no charge for admission and the public is cordially invited to attend. There will be an offering taken for the work.

These views have been shown in all the Presbyterian churches of the city this week and have proven to be a splendid means of giving Presbyterians and others a concrete illustration of the work on mission fields.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Radio Apparatus on Frying Pan Light Vessel Restored to Service.

The following paragraph appearing in the current issue of "Notice to Mariners" published by the Bureau of Lighthouses and the Coast and Geodetic Survey, concerning the wireless apparatus on the Frying Pan light vessel will be of interest to local mariners:

"North Carolina—Seacoast, Frying Pan Shoals: Frying Pan Shoals light vessel, Radio apparatus restored to service October 28."

Young People Married Last Night.

Mr. W. T. Walker and Miss Pearl Grady, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Grady, were married last night at 8 o'clock at No. 819 South Fifth street, the ceramony being performed by Rev. J. P. King, pastor of Sixth Street Christian Advent church. The attendants were Mr. J. D. James, Jr., and Miss Mamie Walker, and Mr. Robert Howard and Miss Katie Walker. There were only a few friends present. They will make their home in Wilmington, where they have many friends.

APPRAISAL OF COAST LINE

J. G. White Engineering Corporation Completed 16 Months' Job Here Yesterday—Men Leave.

An independent appraisal of the whole Atlantic Coast Line Railroad system, under way for the past 16 months, was completed yesterday by the J. G. White Engineering Corporation, and Mr. W. H. Chadbourn, the engineer in charge, and his assistants left the city last evening for headquarters of the company in New York.

While making the appraisal, the J. G. White Engineering Corporation maintained offices in the Coast Line general office buildings here, and employed a large number of clerks, stenographers, etc., while at the same time engineers and valuation experts were at work all over the A. C. L. system. Mr. Chadbourn, the engineer in charge, is a former Wilmingtonian. He has made his headquarters here since the company began on the Coast Line job 16 months ago.

The company's report on the appraisal was not completed in time to be submitted to the annual meeting of the stockholders of the A. C. L. at Richmond Tuesday, and the figures contained therein will probably be submitted to the individual stockholders of the company in a special report from the officers.

The appraisal is complete to the last degree and includes the physical valuation of every piece of property owned by the Coast Line, including real estate, rolling stock and equipment of every kind.

In addition to the appraisal of the Coast Line, the J. G. White company has also been engaged in appraising several other railroads of the country. The roads are taking stock of their property in preparation for the appraisal of all the railroads of the country to be made under direction of the Interstate Commerce Commission, as authorized by Congress. The Commission has already begun its appraisal of several of the Northern railroads, and later on the Coast Line will be reached. After the reports of the Commerce Commission have been filed, the railroads, if their officers feel that the valuation placed upon them by the commission is too high, will be allowed 60 days in which to file a demurrer to the findings of the Commission, and it is for this reason that they are having their holdings appraised.

SERIOUS DAMAGE BY FIRE.

Recorder John J. Furlong's Home Partially Burned Yesterday.

Recorder John J. Furlong had his handsome home at No. 706 Chestnut street badly damaged by fire yesterday morning at 2:30 o'clock, the total loss being approximately $2,000. The residence is owned by Morris Bear & Bro., and the damage to it was between $1,000 and $1,500, while the furniture was damaged to the amount of nearly $1,000. Insurance was carried on both furniture and the residence.

Mr. Furlong noticed the reflection of a light on the window of his bed room soon after retiring, and at first thought that it was a neighbor's house on fire. He got up to investigate and found that it was in the rear of his own home. He sent in a telephone alarm, and then busied himself getting his wife and children outside the burning building.

The fire started in a rear room in which Mr. Furlong's 16-year-old dog slept, and the canine was suffocated, its body being found after the fire by the firemen.

Mr. Thomas Lawther, who lives on Seventh street, the rear of whose home adjoins Mr. Furlong's yard, had his residence damaged to the amount of about $25. The house is owned by the Hanby estate.

The firemen were on the scene within a few minutes after the alarm was sent in and did fine work in checking the progress of the flames. This was only one of seven alarms that they answered during the night, so they were kept busy. No serious damage was done at any of the others, with the exception of the home of Rowena Joyner, on South Ninth street, which was burned to the ground, the loss being about $600.

REPORT IS CONFIRMED.

Plant of Ocean Fisheries Has Been Leased by Swann, Finch & Co.

Confirmation of the report that the plant of the Ocean Fisheries Company had been leased by Swann, Finch & Co., a large oil and varnish corporation, printed as an unconfirmed rumor in yesterday's Star, was obtained yesterday from a stockholder of the company, who stated that the plant was leased to Swann, Finch & Co., some months ago.

The Swann-Finch corporaton is understood to be closely identified with the Standard Oil interests, and it is using the plant on the Cape Fear for the manufacture of oils and other by-products used in their manufacturing business.

Both of the fish factories on the Cape Fear are now controlled by large outside corporations, controlling interest in the Carolina Coast Products Company having been purchased by the Marden, Orth & Hastings Company, of Boston, Mass., as told in yesterday's Star.

BASKETBALL GAMES.

Skeeters Wallop Bugs and Orioles Win From Rebels.

By the overwhelming score of 55 to 14, the Skeeters of the Thursday Night League at Boys' Brigade won from the Bugs last night. The second game was more evenly balanced, the Orioles getting 27 to their credit while the Rebels were able to make only 17 counts.

Tonight the Friday Night League will play two games which promise to be full of interest. The first game will be called promptly at 8:30. The Giants will play the Naps and the Braves will meet the Cardinals. All four teams are in prime condition and will put up two splendid games.

Suits in Superior Court.

Four suits were started in Superior court yesterday. The Atlantic Trust and Banking Company started a suit against B. F. Penny and B. R. Penny. Robert Ruark, Esq., represents the plaintiff. The Liquid Carbonic Company started suit against E. G. Filse, L. J. Carter, Frank S. and Thomas A. Shepard. Kenan & Stacy represent the plaintiff. Robert A. Montgomery is the defendant in an action started by the Waldorf Park Realty Company, represented by Kenan & Stacy. Rebecca Johnson, colored, started suit against L. J. Carter. She is represented by Greer & Greer.

Great crowds attended the C. W. Polvogt Co., 10-day cut price sale. Don't forget to attend. (advertisement.)

MASS MEETING NEXT FRIDAY

Called by Chairman Little to Give Citizens Opportunity to Discuss Proposed Legislation.

Joseph W. Little, Esq., chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee of New Hanover county, yesterday morning issued a call for a mass meeting of citizens to be held at the court house one week from tonight, Friday, November 27th, for the purpose of affording opportunity for the discussion of legislation affecting Wilmington and New Hanover county, proposed for enactment at the next General Assembly, which meets in January.

The action of Chairman Little in calling the mass meeting is in compliance with the wishes of Mr. W. B. Cooper, Senator-elect from this district, and W. P. Stacy, Esq., representative-elect from New Hanover county, both of whom are anxious to get the views of the citizenship in regard to needed legislation for the city and county, as well as on public questions affecting the whole State which may come before the next General Assembly.

The meeting next Friday night will give an opportunity to make known their views as to legislative matters and to offer the representatives of the county and district suggestions as to measures they think are needed. Chairman Little will preside over the meeting and all those who desire to be heard will be given opportunity to express their views.

It is not altogether improbable that as a result of the meeting a committee may be appointed to draft certain bills to be reported to a subsequent mass meeting, and then, if they are adopted by the meeting, have them printed in the local press for further suggestions from the people of the city and county.

By this method everyone would be enabled to know the contents of the important local legislation measures affecting the city and county, before the bills are enacted into law at Raleigh.

BENEFIT CONCERT TODAY.

Housewives' League in Wilmington One of First in South.

The benefit concert at the Bijou Theatre today and tonight promises to be largely attended as many tickets have been sold and there will be many more disposed of this morning. The league gets a percentage of the sales of all tickets sold by the women and children or at the headquarters of the League in the rear of the Home Savings Bank building. The Bijou management has put on an extraordinary bill for today in honor of the event and no person who pays a nickel to see the show will regret it and will also have the privilege of helping along a good cause.

An article in Sunday's Star calling attention to the movement that has been launched by Dr. J. D. Eggleston, of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, to establish rest rooms for country women in the South, has been read with much interest by many Wilmingtonians. In this connection is has been interesting to note that Wilmington has had for the past year such a rest room as Dr. Eggleston is urging boards of trade and chambers of commerce to establish throughout the entire South. The good results to be obtained from a rest room have been amply demonstrated and with new quarters located in the central portion of the city the Housewives' League hopes to do even better work for the next year.

VETERAN RIVERMAN DEAD

Capt. H. M. Millinor Passed Away at Home in Wilmington Yesterday.

Capt. H. M. Millinor, a veteran river captain, passed away at his home at No. 2 Dawson street yesterday morning. He was in his 75th year and had been retired from active service for several years. The funeral will be conducted from the residence this morning at 11 o'clock and the interment will be in Oak Grove cemetery in a lot which Captain Millinor selected for himself.

Surviving him are his wife and two children, Mrs. William Sanford and Mr. H. M. Millinor, both of Wilmington. They will have the tenderest sympathy of a host of friends.

Captain Millinor was for years the captain of the Rice Bird, a vessel which ran on the Cape Fear river, to transport rice from the Rendall plantation of the late Ted Kidder, the largest rice grower in his day on the Cape Fear river. The cultivation of the famous Carolina Rice was then a big industry on the lower Cape Fear and grew to large proportions before its cultivation became unprofitable. Captain Milliner also ran on the river as a pilot and also had charge at different times of other boats.

BEFORE THE RECORDER.

Mr. Finkelstein Acquitted of Charge of Selling Weapon to Minor.

Mr. Charles Finkelstein, the well known pawn broker, was acquitted in Recorder's court yesterday of the charge of selling a deadly weapon to a minor. The principal witnesses against him were Mr. H. Mack Godwin and Hiram Hart, a white youth. Judgment was suspended without the payment of the costs in a case against Wm. H. Frink, colored, charged with violating the driving ordinance. A nol pros with leave was taken in a case against Joe Grant, colored, charged with vagrancy. E. W. Burnett, colored, gave bond in the sum of $250 for his appearance next Tuesday to answer to a charge of violating the prohibition law.

In the absence of Recorder John J. Furlong, Deputy Recorder George Harriss presided over the court yesterday morning.

BIG ROWLAND FIRM FAILS.

People's Trading Co., Files Petition for Voluntary Bankruptcy.

The People's Trading Company, of Rowland, and its president, Mr. P. F. McGirt, a prominent farmer and merchant of that place, yesterday filed petitions in Federal court requesting that they be declared bankrupts in accordance with the United States statutes. The petitions were sent to Deputy Clerk S. P. Collier, Sr., and were received late yesterday afternoon. McIntyre, Lawrence & Proctor, of Lumberton, are attorneys for the petitioners.

The Rowland firm has been doing a large mercantile business and is indebted to a number of Wilmington jobbers and also to several northern concerns. Mr. W. W. Bullard, of Rowland, is secretary and treasurer, of the concern and Mr. McGirt is the chief stockholder. The firm has done a big time business and has experienced trouble in meeting its obligations because of inability to collect money owing to it.

MISTRIAL IN BARLOW CASE

Occupied Superior Court Yesterday. Indictments for Failure to List Taxes—Price Case.

Superior court yesterday was engaged all day in the trial of one case, that against Mr. Louis Barlow, a local dairyman, charged with false pretense, and a mistrial resulted, the jury, after considering the case for three hours and a half, reporting last night at 9 o'clock that it was hopelessly divided. A feature of yesterday in court was the action of the grand jury in returning a wholesale batch of indictments against citizens for failure to list their taxes.

Mr. Barlow was charged by Mrs. H. A. DeCover with false pretense, it being alleged that he made certain representations about cows purchased from him by Mrs. DeCover that were untrue. Court was occupied all morning and most of the afternoon in hearing the different witnesses for the plaintiff and the defendant, and it was 5:30 o'clock before the case finally went to the jury. At 9 o'clock last evening the jury reported to Judge Allan that there was no prospect of a verdict being agreed upon, and he then ordered a juror withdrawn and a mistrial declared. The jury was said to have been about evenly divided.

More than 50 citizens were indicted by the grand jury yesterday for failure to list taxes, and it is said that between 400 and 500 true bills will be returned in all against people who failed to list taxes. Last year about 300 citizens were indicted for failure to list taxes, and those who were found were obliged to pay costs amounting to $9.25, in addition to paying their taxes. It was necessary for the man indicted to get a certificate from the clerk of the court showing that he had paid the $9.25 costs before he was allowed to list his taxes. The cases this year will in all probability be handled in a similar manner.

It was stated yesterday that many of those indicted last year have failed to list their taxes again this year, and will be indicted by this grand jury.

Witnesses in the case against Mr. Joseph A. Price, who is charged with aiding and abetting in maintaining a club room where intoxicating drinks were handled illegally, have been subpoenaed for this morning, and the case will probably be taken up some time this morning.

Mr. Price, who is secretary and treasurere of the Independent Club, was found guilty of the charge in the Recorder's court, and judgment was suspended on payment of the costs. From this verdict he appealed to the Superior court. It may be decided to submit the case to Judge Allen for a ruling and then carry it to the Supreme court for its decision. Either side would have the right to appeal from the verdict in Superior court if this is done. However, if the case is tried by jury and a verdict of not guilty returned, the State would not have the right to appeal.

MAY BUILD IN RALEIGH.

Schloss Theatre Circuit May Put Up Its Own Theatre There.

The following from yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer will be of interest here:

"Raleigh is to have a new theatre by next fall for the opening of the theatrical season at that time is practically assured. It is understood that Mrs. S. A. Schloss, who already owns a site on the corner of Salisbury and Davie streets, will build the theatre next summer.

"Mrs. Schloss has the present Academy of Music, which is owned by Mr. W. B. Wright, leased until May, 1916, but Mr. Wright has a clause in the lease which gives him the right to cancel the lease May 1, 1915, if he desires.

"Mr. Wright's plans, as soon as business conditions will warrant, is to turn the theatre into a hotel. The two stores nearest Salisbury street are to be torn out and furnish the entrance and lobby of the hotel. The present stairway is to be removed and this extra space and the present cafe made into a handsome dining room with all plate glass front.

"It is highly possible that this plan of Mr. Wright's can be carried out next summer as the financial skies are already brightening. If this is done the hotel would be rushed and completed in time for the next fair, thus greatly increasing Raleigh's hotel facilities. The carrying out of the hotel plans would assure the building of the new theatre."

FEDERAL COURT ENDS

Big Timber Suit Compromised After Having Been on Trial a Week.

After having been on trial for a week in Federal court, the big timber suit of H. J. McLaurin, Jr., against W. B. McLaughlin and others was compromised yesterday morning. A juror was withdrawn and the trial ended. This being the only case on the docket to be tried at this term, court was formally adjourned yesterday afternoon and Judge Connor left last evening for his home at Wilson.

Eugene S. Martin, Esq., was named as special master in the matter of the libels which have been taken out against the fishing vessels, Nat Strong, Lawrence, Portland and Adroit. The approximate amount of the libels is about $10,000. The boats are to be sold at auction at noon Monday unless some action is taken by the owners to prevent it. The vessels belong to the Atlantic Phosphate Corporation, of New York, which recently went into bankruptcy.

MR. FREEMAN WOOD DEAD

Well Known Citizen of Wilmington Died Yesterday—Funeral Today.

Mr. Freeman Wood, a well known citizen of Wilmington, died at his home, No. 1134 South Front street, yesterday at noon. The funeral will be conducted from the home this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and the interment will be in Bellevue cemetery. He was 51 years old.

Surviving him are his wife and three small children, who will have the tender sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

Mr. Greenamyer in North.

Mr. C. E. Greenamyer, general manager of the Wilmington Beach Corporation, which is interested in the building of the electric road to Wilmington and Carolina Beaches, is in Washington for a conference with A. E. L. Leckie, Esq., general counsel for the Wilmington & Carolina Beach Railroad Company, which proposes to build the road. While away Mr. Greenamyer will also visit New York and a number of other cities in the North. He will be away several weeks.

Great crowds attended the C. W. Polvogt Co., 10-day cut price sale. Don't forget to attend. (advertisement.)

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Car of Wire Nails.
Large lot of Fresh Mullets.
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1 25-horse power Hoisting Engine.
1 150-h. p. Return Tubular Boiler.
1 50-h. p. Return Tubular Boiler.
2 Rope Feed Saw Mills.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Yesterday's News and Observer: "Percy R. Albright, of Wilmington, spent yesterday here as the guest of his mother, Mrs. M. E. Howard on Church street.

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Mr. Adam Empie left last evening for Richmond to attend the funeral of his uncle, Mr. J. W. Gwathmey, his mother's brother, who died in Baltimore Wednesday night. The funeral will be held in Richmond today.

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The Junior Auxiliary of St. James' Episcopal church will hold the annual Christmas sale of fancy articles, Christmas cards, hot chocolate, candy and other refreshments this afternoon from 3:30 to 6:30 o'clock in the parish house. Friends and the public are cordially invited to attend.

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The annual Thanksgiving sale of the Home Missionary and Home Auxiliary societies of the First Presbyterian church will be held at the home of Mrs. R. C. Remick, No. 318 South Third street, on Monday afternoon, November 23. The public is cordially invited to attend.

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The meeting of the Epworth League of Grace Methodist church, in the church parlors this evening at 8 o'clock will be turned into a pounding party for the purpose of providing for Thanksgiving dinners for the poor of the city. All members are urged to attend and to bring something that will be acceptable for this purpose.

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The following announcement will be of much interest to friends here and elsewhere:

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Emmart
announce the marriage of
Miss Mary Elizabeth Cable
to
Mr. Grover Cleaveland Gorman,
November the 18th,
Nineteen hundred and fourteen,
Winston-Salem, N. C.
At Home, Wilmington, N. C.

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Section B of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. James' Episcopal church will serve tea at the furniture store of Sterchi-Bancroft-Rich Company on North Front street tomorrow afternoon beginning at 3 o'clock. There will also be other articles for sale and the ladies in charge cordially invite the public to call during the afternoon.

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SHORT STORY AWARDS MADE BY SOROSIS.

Mr. W. Z. Corbett for his story, "The Man of Ready Wit," was awarded the first prize in the Sorosis short story contest which was held in connection with the Fine Arts Exhibit last week in the Murchison Bank building. There were seven stories submitted, but the judges were unanimous in their decision that Mr. Corbett's was the best.

The judges made favorable mention of a story written by Miss Margaret L. Gibson entitled "The Guide Infallible." All of the stories submitted were of a high class and showed that in Wilmington is to be found splendid talent in this line.

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LADIES OF TRINITY GIVE DISPLAY OF FAMOUS PICTURES

Trinity College, Durham, N. C., Nov. 19.— The Campus Club, an organization of the ladies of the college community, of which Mrs. William P. Few is president, are now giving in the college parlors of East Duke building a display of famous pictures. The purpose of the display is to raise money, which will be used to relieve the suffering Belgians in Western Europe. The parlors will continue open to the general public, during the remainder of the week, each afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock.

The Boston Transcript, whose opinion on artistic and educational values is very highly esteemed throughout the country, pronounces the display as "the finest collection ever gathered together in this country."

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CORBETT-STOVALL WEDDING ON NINTH OF DECEMBER

Attractive invitations mailed yesterday contain the formal announcement of the approaching marriage of Miss Nora Meade Corbett and Lieut. Harry W. Stovall, U. S. A., both prominent and popular in Wilmington social circles. The invitations read as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Michael John Corbett
request the pleasure of your company
at the marriage reception of their
daughter, Nora Meade,
and
Mr. Harry Wylie Stovall,
Lieutenant Coast Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, on Wednesday afternoon,
the 9th of December, at 8:30 o'clock,
at 119 South Fourth Street,
Wilmington, N. C.

Cards enclosed read as follows:

At Home,
after the first of January, Fortress Monroe, Virginia.

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ANNUAL REBEKAH FAIR WAS SPLENDID SUCCESS.

The annual fair of Letitia Lodge No. 3, Daughters of Rebekah, in the Odd Fellows' Hall last evening, was a splendid success from an entertainment standpoint and was largely attended. An enjoyable feature was the old time cake walk in which Mr. Malpass and Miss Hamilton were awarded the prize. The prize for the most stylish dress in the cotton dress parade was won by Miss Sue Brown.

The members of Letitia Lodge wish to thank all who helped in the entertainment and also to those who donated articles to the various departments of the fair. There are still some articles unsold and there will be someone at the building today to sell the remainder. The proceeds go to the Odd Fellows' Home at Goldsboro.

In connection with the fair last evening a most enjoyable musical programme was rendered, the programme being as follows:

Overture by Whitlock and West Orchestra.
Reading by Mrs. O. L. Dietrich.
Soprano Solo by Miss Kathryn Dale.
Selection by the Orchestra.
Reading by Mrs. C. F. Montford.
Tenor Solo by Mrs. C. L. Crocket.
Selection by the Orchestra.
Reading by Miss Sallie Oldham.
Duet by Miss Holmes and Mrs. Crocket.

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DANCE AND OYSTER ROAST IN HONOR VISITING GIRLS

An enjoyable informal dance at Lumina last evening, followed by an oyster roast at Wrightsville Sound, was given by a number of young men of the city in honor of Miss Mary Wooten, of Savannah, Ga.; Miss Vivian Edgerton, of Florence, S. C., and Miss Ethel Maultsby, of Whiteville, who are now visiting friends in this city. About 15 couples left the city at 8 o'clock on a special car, and went to Lumina, where several hours were spent dancing. The party then returned to the Lighthouse on the sound, where an oyster roast was enjoyed. They returned to the city shortly before 12 o'clock.

Those present were Misses Mary Worth, Lassie P. Willson, Ruth Lynch, Vivian Edgerton, Florence, S. C.; Ethel Maultsby, Whiteville, N. C.; Mary Wooten, Savannah, Ga.; Helen Weil, Nellie Bowden, Elizabeth Thames, Anna B. Telford, Esther Hashagen, Theresa Parsley, Mae Willson, Maude Willson and Messrs. Geo. L. Mitchell, B. B. Reynolds, J. L. Wells, Fred E. Little, Louis Hanson, Jr., Hugh Calder, L. F. Burnett, Chas. Hussey, J. L. Wilcox, E. N. Kennikel, Lawrence Everett, Wiley Whitehead, Newton Fisher and A. J. Mitchell. Dr. and Mrs. Geo. K. Patterson and Mrs. J. B. Rice chaperoned the party.

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PERFECT PLANS FOR SALE OF RED CROSS SEALS.

At a meeting of the Red Cross Society yesterday morning in the parlors of the Colonial Inn arrangements were perfected for the sale of the Red Cross seals which will begin immediately and will continue through the Christmas holidays. Last year there were 106,014 seals sold and this year it is planned to sell not less than 110,000. The goal set last season was 100,000 and no difficulty is anticipated this year in disposing of the number named.

The meeting yesterday was presided over by Mrs. Cuthbert Martin, president of the society, and Mrs. S. Mendelsohn, the secretary, kept a record of the proceedings.

A distribution of 60,000 seals was made to the down town stores yesterday morning after the meeting. The school children later will assist in disposing of the seals.

At the meeting yesterday morning the following ladies were appointed to dispose of the seals in the down town district:

North Front street, Red Cross and Fourth streets, to the bridge—Mesdames W. L. Parsley, Hugh MacRae, Wm. H. Milton, W. H. Sprunt, Miss Lillie Brown.

Water street, Red Cross out—Mesdames W. G. Hall, W. B. Cooper, J. T. King, and D. H. Penton.

Murchison and Southern Buildings, and Front street, Chesnut street to Princess—Misses Carrie Duffy and Florie Yopp and Mrs. Cuthbert Martin.

North Front, Princess to Market and up to Third on Market—Mesdames S. Solomon and J. M. Solky.

Market street, Front out—Mesdames W. C. Munds and L. B. Sasser.

South Front, Market out—Mrs. L. Bluethenthal.

Fourth street bridge out—Mesdames Avant, W. B. Shuler and Jack Quelch.

BRINGS CARGO OF COAL

Schooner Hope Sherwood Arrives From South Amboy—Other Shippings.

The schooner Hope Sherwood, 522 tons, Captain Colbreth, arrived here yesterday afternoon with a cargo of coal for the Springer Coal Company and is tied up at that company's dock. The Sherwood comes from South Amboy and is consigned to C. D. Maffitt & Co.

The river steamer Thelma, reaching here last night on her regular schedule run from Tar Heel and White Oak, will not return this morning as is her custom. She will not make the return trip until Monday morning. The vessel goes under inspection here today.

The Clyde Line steamer Navahoe, scheduled to arrive from Georgetown yesterday afternoon had not put in her appearance late last night. She was several hours late upon arriving from New York Monday and it is presumed has not been able to make up the lost time.

The revenue cutter Seminole is expected in port now in a few days.

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: J. W. Russ and wife to Anderson Stroud, for $100 and other considerations, lot on southeast corner of Seventh and Queen, 49 by 49 feet in size; W. N. Core and wife to Henry Herne and wife, for $100 and other considerations, lot on south line of King, 297 feet east of Fourteenth street, 33 by 82 1-2 feet in size; Henry Herne and others to W. N. Corne and wife, for $100 and other considerations, tract in Masonboro township, on south line of belt line macadam road, containing 9.1 acres.

EXTENSION LECTURES FOR N. CAROLINA COMMUNITIES

"Correspondence Courses" Also Explained in New University Bulletins.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Chapel Hill, Nov. 19.—"Extension Lectures for North Carolina Communities" and "Correspondence Courses" are the subjects explained in a recent bulletin issued by the State University. One hundred and twenty-eight lectures divided into three groups, the popular, the technical, the special, and delivered by 32 members of the faculty is the essential information derived from the first subject. These lectures are free to any organization or body that wants them bad enough to write Director N. W Walker at Chapel Hill. The only expense attached is the traveling expense of the lecturer.

Nineteen courses leading to the regular A. B. degree and under the regular university faculty is the central fact in the second subject. These courses are selected with the idea of meeting the needs of all classes of people, the teacher, the tradesman, the artisan, and the general reader. Seventeen other courses which do not give credit are also offered. This system was first started last year. It has been greatly enlarged this year and from time to time as need demands the scope of the work will be enlarged until the whole system of the university will be at the disposal of the correspondent.

The cost of these courses is purely nominal, the professors doing the work free of cost in addition to their regular work. The registration cost is $2. The student must pay all postage charges. In addition to this any book in the university library of 66,000 volumes is at the disposal of anyone who will pay transportation. A special committee stands ready to assist all enquirers in securing any information on any subject they may desire.

AMERICAN WOMAN HONORED.

Wife of American Ambassador at Vienna Receives Degree.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Official announcement of the award of the grand cross of the order of Elizabeth by Emperor Franz-Joseph to Mrs. Frederick O. Penfield, wife of the American ambassador at Vienna, was cabled today to the Austro-Hungarian embassy here. Mrs. Penfield has done indefatiguable work among sick and wounded soldiers of the dual monarchy.

Teach your dollars to have more sense by attending Polvogt's great 10-day cut price sale. (advertisement.)

THEATRICAL

Today is "Benefit Day" at the popular photoplay house, home of "The Incomparable Movies", and the popular and pleasant joy palace will be packed from early till late with a joyous throng, who will revel in delight at the all-star and big offering that will be dished up for their benefit. The management has booked one of the biggest bills of the week for this occasion, consisting of five full reels of movies, all of them the newest, biggest and brightest ever shown in Wilmington, guaranteed to be from two to three weeks newer than anything else on a Wilmington screen.

The bill is headed by that notable Universal production, "Let Us Have Peace," a thrilling and enjoyable two-reel Rex comedy-drama, in which Ben Wilson and Frances Nelson play the leading roles. It's a play dealing with incidents relative to the present European war, and is a furtherance of President Wilson's earnest plea to American people to adhere strictly to the neutrality plan and to talk peace "Universally." It's a big story—nothing dry nor humorless in it, and will be thoroughly enjoyed.

Then comes a notable Mutual release, "Break, Break, Break", a heart-touching drama, featuring beautiful Vivian Rich in the leading role, with Wm. Garwood and Jack Richardson, three of the biggest stars on the Mutual pay roll. It is a story with a human interest touch that will appeal to everyone.

Next comes the second release by the new "L-Ko" Universal comedy organization, "Partners in Crime." It's a big comedy offering with Gertrude Selby in the lead, and will amuse everyone who sees it.

Then there's a rousing Keystone comedy feature. "Bombs and Bangs" that will simply convulse you with laughter. Don't miss any of them today.

Splendid Vaudeville Offering.

The Victoria Theatre promises the theatre-going public something extra swell, something exceedingly charming and dainty in the offering that opened yesterday, and it more than made good. The present offering is quite the largest and one of the most pretentious the Victoria has ever had, and certainly the biggest and really most extraordinary offering ever made for the prices—10 cents at matinee and 10 and 15 cents at night. The new show is headed by the Boarding House Girls, six charming bits of femininity and a clever comedian, who are presenting a regular abbreviated musical comedy, "A Seminary Scandal," which is a laugh and a bunch of songs and dances all the way through. It is something that will immensely please all. So don't miss it. There is another big feature act, one that has played not only the big time theatres of the United States, but has made a tour of Europe. It is a soap-bubble act offered by Hap Handy & Co. Can you imagine such a thing? Hardly, and yet it is a big act that will cause one to wonder and be highly entertained. It is the greatest novelty the Victoria has yet set before the people. Yet another star of the new show, thus adding to the attractiveness of the bill, is pretty, charming Hetty Urma, who is a male impersonator. She is just dandy. Besides, there are two reels of the latest movies.

There will be an extra feature to the show tonight when, just after the first performance and without extra admission, a ragtime piano contest will be offered. It will be great for both fun and music.

At the Grand Today.

Truly, the weather never keeps folks from going to the Grand Theatre a-a thereby hangs a tale. It is that the Grand is just the spot to seek on drear days, because it is as warm as a toast and, besides, it always offers a bright show. That is the way the folks of Wilmington have found this theatre, and, therefore, they always crowd to it especially when the weather is ugly. Today's show is going to be a great one, too. Star artists and star films will vie with each other in affording one of the best movie shows the Grand has ever flashed on its big screen. First of all, there will be a special two-reeler, "Seed and Harvest", which is Kalem's very latest and which is the greatest dramatic of special releases yet put on the market. But there is another great dramatic that will also be offered today in Selig's "The Mexican," and this is one of the most stirring of screen productions, with the scenes laid in a country which is largely in the public eye at present.

These two films as important as they are, will not be all today at the Grand. Edison's "Andy and the Redskins" being the 11th of the popular, beloved Andy series, will be flashed on the screen. This one is the best yet. So don't fail to take the "kiddies" to behold it. Of course, Andrew J. Clark will appear as "Andy" and Jessie Stevens will portray the role of his mother. It is just the dandiest kind of a laugh film.

Improvements on the Grand are beingly rapidly brought to a conclusion.

RESERVE BANKS WANT LOWER DISCOUNT RATE

But Federal Board Opposed to Granting It Yet.

Banks in the South and West Ask for Lower Rates—Reserve Notes Made Attractive by Board, Are Not Taxable.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Although rediscounting operations by Federal Reserve Banks in three days have amounted to only a few million dollars, several banks already have requested the Federal Reserve Board for permission to lower the rates.

It was understood the districts asking a lower rate are in the South and West.

The board has no present intention of changing the rates and such action is not likely until all reserves of member banks required at this time have been transferred to the Reserve bank vaults. The board has been anxious that all the first installment of reserves be deposited by member banks in gold or other money, and that advantage be not taken of the provision of the act by which reserves may be transferred in the shape of rediscounted commercial paper—a transfer of credit which adds nothing to the actual cash of the Reserve banks or its potential loaning power. For this reason the rediscount rate was put about on the level of the discount rate so there has been little advantage to banks to pass on their paper.

The board has about concluded not to tax Federal Reserve notes. This will make them more attractive to banks who now have in their possession quantities of emergency currency and possibly clearing house certificates both subject to high taxes or interest charges.

Emergency currency and the certificates are being retired rapidly and although financial observers here say there is no need for more circulation, banks which give up their emergency notes to avoid payment of further taxes may feel the need of other notes and the freedom of the Reserve notes from a tax may bring them into circulation.

PITT COUNTY FARMER ROBBED BY HIGHWAYMAN

Held Up on Road and Assaulted—Is in Serious Condition.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Greenville, N. C., Nov. 19.—Charles Mozingo, a Pitt county farmer, has been taken to a hospital in a serious condition and bloodhounds are expected to arrive tonight to aid in running down a negro highwayman who waylaid and robbed him near here while returning home after selling tobacco. The negro approached him on the road, drew a gun on him and demanded that he put up his hands and deliver his money.

Upon the farmer's refusal to obey, the negro began shooting, hitting him three times, and also striking him on the head with the gun. Mozingo had deposited most of his money in a bank, and had only $8 with him. This the negro took and escaped. Mozingo was found and brought to town.

The Pollard case is being tried again at this term of court. Interest is not so great as it was at the first trial.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. Jas. H. Cowan, editor of the Evening Dispatch, generally recognized as a paragrapher par excellence, will leave this morning for Charlotte, to attend the convention of paragraphers of the Carolins and Virgina which will be held there tonight.

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A Great Edison Comedy, Featuring Andrew J. Clark, Jessie Stevens, Harry Linson and Joseph Richmond. This one is the Best Yet, So Don't Fail to Take the "Kiddies."

Admission Five Cents

BIJOU BULLETIN

FRIDAY, NOV. 20

—Benefit Day!

—The Housewives' League Gets the Profits!

—And a royal offering has been prepared for the throngs!

—"LET US HAVE PEACE" is a mammoth two-reel Rex Comedy-Drama, featuring popular Frances Nelson with Ben Wilson—One of the Strongest of the week.

—"BREAK, BREAK, BREAK," is a Touching Mutual drama, with pretty Vivian Rich in the lead.

—"PARTNERS IN CRIME" is the second of the big "L-Ko" comedies—a Rouser!

—"BOMBS AND BANGS" is a rousing Keystone Comedy feature.

—Five Big Reels of "The Incomparable Movies!"

Armour's Housewives Bulletin

NOW is the time to think about mince pies and *Armour's Veribest* Mincemeat is at your grocer's, in cartons, glass jars or pails. Made according to an old-fashioned recipe which calls for plenty of fruits, meat and spices.

A Breakfast Hint: Try the all-pork, perfectly seasoned *Devonshire Farm Style Sausage*—both link and sausage meat.

You Might Do It for Yourself, But You Couldn't Do It As Well

Leaf fat and an open kettle will make leaf lard but not *Armour's* "Simon Pure"—**fifty years' experience, skill, and knowledge** are the added ingredients that go into every Government Inspected pail of "Simon Pure". These make it a better shortening than any other lard.

Experience Teaches

The food suggestions printed here every week are the boiled-down net results of Armour and Company's fifty years experience in catering to the discriminating food buyers of the entire world. Armour products today are as good as skill and experience can make them.

A Bouillon Wrinkle

A very dainty—very delicious dish is made by dissolving a teaspoonful of gelatin (previously soaked) in a cup of hot water. Add an *Armour* Bouillon Cube and stir. When cold, turn out on lettuce leaf and you have an appetizing, wholesome dish. For quick bouillon, for caller or the between meal "lunch"—nothing better than *Armour's* Bouillon Cubes. Boxes of 12,50,100.

A Double Merit

Armour's Glendale Oleomargarine has a double merit—the added flavor it gives almost any food, and its economy. It is a spread for bread and a hundred and one other things. It is simply a combination of the fats you eat daily. Packed in hygienic, paraffined cartons under Government Supervision.

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Rich, Full Cream, Highest Quality.

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The label tells the brand and the brand tells the story. Cloverbloom tells you that this brand of butter is made from Cream from the finest herds, handled in creameries in the *Armour* standard way.

For Dinner —Why Not "Star" Ham?

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ST. JOHN'S LODGE, NO. 1, A. F. & A. M. Emergent Communication this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock, sharp, for the purpose of conferring the sublime degree of MASTER MASON. All members and visiting brothers will be cordially welcomed.

A. S. HOLDEN, Secretary.

Prices slashed at Polvogt's for the great 10-day sale. Now going on. Don't fail to attend. (Advertisement.)

Don't fail to attend the C. W. Polvogt Co., great ten-day sale now wgoing on. (advertisement.)

Star Business Locals Get Results

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

COTTON PRICES ARE STEADY

Scattered Long Interests in Old December Pretty Well Liquidated and Spot Prices Unchanged.

New York, Nov. 19.—The action of today's cotton market served to strengthen the impression created in local circles that the scattering long interests in old December contracts had been pretty well liquidated and that the decline in prices had been sufficient to shut out hedge selling. Offerings were limited, and the market ruled generally steady with the close net unchanged to 9 points higher.

Liverpool reported a small, steady market with prices 3 to 4 points higher at the hour of the local opening and the start here was steady, one point lower to three points higher. It quickly developed that there was little cotton for sale and prices improved on a scattering investment demand or covering. December contracts sold at 7.03 or about 18 points above the low level of yesterday and 9 points net higher, while new style contracts sold about 7 to 13 points above yesterday's closing figures. Subsequent fluctuations were more or less irregular, although the close was within a point or two of the best on most positions.

Prominent spot interests are credited with having purchased December contracts recently held by scattering longs with the intention of holding for higher prices or accepting actual deliveries, but local traders anticipate that Saturday's figures will show a ginning of slightly over 11,000,000 bales and the presence of such a large supply in the South promotes caution on the buying side of the market.

Spot cotton, quiet; middling uplands, 7.50; do. gulf, 7.75. No sales.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Dec., old. . .	6.94	7.03	6.93	7.01
January, old. .	7.07	7.15	7.07	7.13
Jan., new . . .	7.25	7.27	7.25	7.27
Mar., old. . .	7.08	7.09	7.08	7.15
Mar., new . . .	7.43	7.50	7.43	7.48
May, old . . .	7.25	7.26	7.25	7.32
May, new . . .	7.65	7.71	7.63	7.69
July, new . . .	7.84	7.93	7.84	7.90

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans—Middling, 7¼; receipts, 11,550; exports, 12,750; sales, 3,650; stock, 189,135.

Galveston—Middling, 7⅝; receipts, 17,373; exports, 5,800; sales, 200; stock, 394,333.

Mobile—Middling, 7¼; receipts, 1,091; stock, 32,324.

Savannah—Middling, 7¼; receipts, 3,866; exports, 5,900; sales, 1,658; stock, 165,818.

Charleston—Middling, 7¼; receipts, 1,301; stock, 76,603.

Wilmington—Middling, 7¼; receipts, 1,076; stock, 85,903.

Norfolk—Middling, 7¼; receipts, 1,971; sales, 557; stock, 42,428.

Baltimore—Middling, 7¼; stock, 6,397.

Boston—Middling, 7.50; receipts, 200; stock, 3,100.

Philadelphia — Middling, 7.75; receipts, 16; stock, 6,417.

New York—Middling, 7.50; receipts, 25; exports, 1,179; stock, 75,268.

Minor ports—Stock, 50,127.

Total today—Receipts, 42,969; exports, 25,629; stock, 1,078,853.

Total for week—Receipts, 307,149; exports, 166,896.

Total for season—Receipts, 2,330,894; exports, 1,004,035.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling, 7⅛; receipts, 18,562; shipments, 19,249; sales, 1,854; stock, 138,051.

Memphis—Middling, 7¼; receipts, 6,348; shipments, 3,290; sales, 2,000; stock, 224,382.

Augusta—Middling, 7 3-16@7¼; receipts, 2,327; shipments, 7.80; sales, 1,235; stock, 145,558.

St. Louis—Middling, 7⅜; receipts, 2,662; shipments, 3,023; stock, 28,430.

Cincinnati — Receipts, 1,630; shipments, 755; stock, 38,392.

Dallas—Middling, 7; sales, 2,480.

Total today—Receipts, 33,315; shipments, 27,254; stock, 580,829.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

Improvement in Tone and Resistance to Selling Pressure Shown on Market.

New Orleans, Nov. 19.—Improvement in tone and more resistence to selling pressure were shown by the cotton market today. At no time were prices under the level of yesterday's final figures and the market acted as if willing to advance. Late in the session only a few orders to buy came in, but there were sufficient to hoist values to the highest of the day. The close was at a net gain of 9@13 points.

Cheerful reports from American mill points and rumors of large army contracts for cotton goods being let in this country were bullish influences.

Bearish opinion was that increasing stocks would soon exert fresh pressure. Bears pointed out that stocks at all ports were 1,078,853 bales, while stocks at the principal towns in the interior were 580,029 bales more. Total foreign exports from the first of the season up to tonight were 1,004,035 bales, and bulls claimed that forward export commitments were largely responsible for the piling up of stocks on the seaboard and at shipping points in the interior.

Spot cotton, barely steady. Sales on the spot, 800 bales; to arrive, 2,850.

Cotton futures closing:

December, old, 7.08; December, new, 7.11; January, old, 7.17; January, new, 7.27; March, old, 7.29; March, new, 7.38; May, new, 7.57; July, new, 7.76.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, Nov. 19.—Spot cotton in fair demand, prices steady. American middling fair, 5.42; good middling, 4.74; middling, 4.42; low middling, 3.81; good ordinary, 3.12; ordinary, 2.62. Sales, 8,000 bales, including 6,500 American and 500 for speculation and export. Receipts, 4.50 bales, all American. Futures closed quiet. May-June, 4.10½; July-August, 4.17½; October-November, 4.27½; January-February, 4.34½.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Nov. 19.—Raw sugar, firm; molasses sugar, 3.36@3.42; centrifugal, 4.01@4.07; refined, steady.

Butter—Weak.

Cheese—Steady.

Coffee—Spot, easier; Rio, No. 7, 6¼; Santos, No. 4, 10c.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Nov. 19.—Mercantile paper, 5¼@5½. Sterling exchange, steady; sixty day bills, 4.8550; for cables, 4.8575; for demand, 4.8800. Bar silver, 48½.

WHEAT RALLIES AFTER FALL

Sharp Decline in Receipts at Western Primary Points Aids Market to Recover From Set Back.

Chicago, Nov. 19.—Sharp falling off in receipts at Western primary points helped to rally wheat today from a set back due to lower quotations at Liverpool. There was a steady close at the same as last night to a decline of a shade.

Corn closed ⅛@¼ to ⅛@⅝ net, and oats 1-16. Provisions finished at a range varying from 30 cents down to a rise of 17½c.

Grain and provisions closing:

Wheat—December, 115⅞; May, 1.22¼.

Corn—December, 67; May, 71⅛.

Oats—December, 50; May, 53¾.

Pork—January, 18.75; May, 19.17.

Lard—January, 10.15; May, 10.27.

Ribs—January, 10.05; May, 10.32.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.15@1.16; No. 2, hard, 1.15@1.16.

Corn—No. 2, yellow, 72@72½.

Oats—Standard, 50@51¼.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Schr. Hope Sherwood, 522 tons, Colbreth, South Amboy, C. D. Maffitt & Co.

Str. Thelma, Black, Tar Heel and White Oak, S. M. King, agent.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Bintang (Dan.), 1,813 tons, Dahl, Henry Whyte.

Str. Nicaria (Ger.) 2,289 tons, Hollasch, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger) 2,872 tons, Linke, at Southport, Heide & Co.

Str. Unita (Nor.) 2,344 tons, Olsen, Heide & Co.

Str. Thelma (river line), Black, S. M. King, agent.

Schooners.

Schr. Hope Sherwood, 522 tons, Colbreth, C. D. Maffitt & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Nov. 19.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady, at 44½c.

ROSIN—Steady. Large, $3.30; small, $3.10.

TAR—Firm, $2.10 per barrel; per gallon, 9c.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Firm, $3.25 per barrel for soft; $3.25 per barrel for virgin; $2.25 per barrel for hard.

Quotations same day last year — Spirits turpentine, steady, 42¾; rosin, firm, $3.50; tar, firm, 2.50-11; crude, firm, $3.00; $3.00; $2.00.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine 22

Rosin 244

Tar 251

Crude Turpentine 5

Receipts same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 22 casks; rosin, 56 barrels; tar, 3 barrels; crude turpentine, 2 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market — Spot, middling, steady, at 7 1-8; last year, 13 1-8c.

Receipts, 1,076 bales; same day last year, 1,730 bales.

Total receipts since September 1st, 48,098 bales.

Total receipts to same day last year, 252,966 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, Nov. 19.

Atlantic Coast Line—716 bales cotton; 7 casks spirits turpentine; 171 barrels rosin; 5 barrels tar; 5 barrels crude turpentine.

Seaboard Air Line—345 bales cotton; 1 cask spirits turpentine; 6 barrels rosin; 144 barrels tar.

River—Cotton, 16 bales.

Geo. Slover—11 casks spirits turpentine; 61 barrels rosin; 16 barrels tar.

Schr. Addie May—3 casks spirits turpentine; 6 barrels rosin; 86 barrels tar.

Total—1,076 bales cotton; 22 casks spirits turpentine; 244 barrels rosin; 251 barrels tar; 5 barrels crude turpentine.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Nov. 14.)

CORN—$2.10 per sack.

POTATOES — Irish potatoes, 80@85c. per bu. Sweet potatoes, yams, 75c. per bu.

PEAS—Out of season.

BEEF—Native dressed, 7 to 8c.; very dull.

PORK—Small, 10@12 cents; large, no sale.

SHEEP—No sale. Lambs, $1.50 to $2.50 per head; very dull; no sale.

WOOL—Burry, 14 to 15c.; black wool, 16 to 17c.; first-class white wool, 21c. free, 20@21c. per lb.

HIDES—Green salt, 12c.; dry flints, 17@19c. lb.; dull.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, 22c.; good demand; sides and shoulders, 16c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28@29c. per lb.

POULTRY — Chickens, grown, 45@50c.; spring, 15c@35c. per head; good demand.

EGGS—24@27c. per dozen.

FOODSTUFFS AND FEEDS.

(Wholesale Price Quotations of Thursday by Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

Flour—Fancy Patent, $6.25 to $6.50 (car lots).

Corn—Domestic, $1.05; Imported, 93c.

Meal—96 lb. bag, $1.95 to $2.00.

Oats—Mixed, 60c; white, 65c. bu.

Hay—No. 1, Timothy, $24.00; No. 1, Mixed, $23.00 ton.

Middlings—$30.00 per ton.

D. S. Sides—From 12¾ to 12¾.

Plates—From 11c. to 11¼c.

Lard — From 7¾ to 8c., according to quality.

Coffee—From 9 to 12c.

Rice—Broken, 3¾c. to 4c.; Japan, 4¾c to 5c. Fancy Hear, 5 1-4c. to 6c.

Sugar — Granulated basis, 5⅝c.; lower grades, usual difference.

Molasses — Black strap, 15c; mixed, 38c; Fancy Porto Rico, 40c.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, Nov. 19.—North Carolina Peanuts — Market, steady; new crop, fancy hand-picked, 65c.; No. 1, machine picked, 60c. per bu.

Virginia Peanuts — New crop, Jumboes, 70c.; fancy hand-picked, 65c.; No. 1 machine-picked, 60c. per bu.

Spanish Peanuts—New crop, No. 1, machine picked, 80c.; Jumboes, 65c. per bu. All receipts light.

MARKET OPENING POSTPONED

Unexpected Reversal of Definite Plan of New York Stock Exchange is Only Development.

New York, Nov. 19.—An unexpected reversal of the definite plan to reopen the Stock Exchange on Saturday for trading in bonds was the most noteworthy incident in the financial district today. Reasons given for the annulment dealt mainly with the unpreparedness of certain large bonds and investment houses to meet the proposed situation which, it was feared, might provoke a flood of liquidation from foreign and domestic sources.

There also was reason to believe resumption of bond dealings had aroused unexpected opposition from influential banking quarters.

It was significant of the situation as a whole that prices in the markets now in operation suffered material declines earlier in the day. Some listed stocks traded in without the sanction of the exchange declined from 2 to 3 points.

Developments otherwise were mainly encouraging. Exchange in London was firm and an advance in France was noted. There was a reaction in both markets, however, when the demand waned. Further advances in copper and lead suggested a better demand for these products, although the home consumption continued at low ebb. Reports that several railroad were negotiating for new equipment, including the Harriman and Hill lines accentuated the beter in that industry. One important report of a railroad for October, that of the Southern Pacific was submitted. It showed a net loss of $853,000. The reports of minor roads disclosed heavy gross decreases.

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, Nov. 19.—Cotton seed oil was higher, despite continued dullness in consumptive demand, owing to light offerings of crude, and support from refiners. Final prices were 11 to 13 points net higher for leading positions.

The market closed irregular. Spot, 5.41@5.50; November, 5.41@5.48; December, 5.45@5.48; January, 5.61@5.62; February, 5.65@5.75; March, 5.87@5.88; April, 5.90@6.00; May, 6.11@6.14; June, 6.15@6.30. Total sales, 6,900.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., Nov. 18.—Spanish — Farmers' stock — Market, firm at 85c. per bushel.

Virginias—Farmers' stock—Market, steady. Fancy Jumbo, 8½c. per lb.; Fancy Hand-Picked, 3¼c. per lb.; Extra Prime, 3c.@3¼c. per lb.; Shelling stock, 2¼c.@2⅝c. per lb.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, Nov. 19.—Hogs—Receipts, 22,000; bulk, 7.25@7.45; light, 7.00@7.50; mixed, 7.10@7.55; heavy, 7.00@7.55; rough, 7.00@7.15; pigs, 4.25@4.40.

Cattle receipts, 3,000; steady.

Beeves, 5.75@10.50; steers, 5.40@9.00; cows and heifers, 3.60@9.20; calves, 8.50@11.50.

Sheep — Receipts, 10,000 strong. Sheep, 5.50@6.20; yearlings, 6.40@7.65; lambs, 6.60@9.25.

NAVAL STORES MARKET.

Savannah, Nov. 19.—Turpentine, firm, at 45; sales, 136; receipts, 390; shipments, none; stock, 32,503.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 8.10; receipts, 1,732; shipments, —; stock, 120,801. Quote: A, B, 3.45@3.50; C, D, 3.52½; E, 3.50; F, 3.52½; G, H, 3.55; I, 3.65@3.70; K, 4.10@4.15; M, 4.70; N, 5.30@5.45; W G, 5.70; W W, 6.00.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Nov. 19.—Cotton goods were steady but quiet today. Yarns were more active. Additional orders were received for woolen hosiery and cotton sweaters. Raw silk was steady. Men's wear was dull.

SALE OF LAND UNDER MORTGAGE.

Under and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed executed by C. W. Harvell and wife, J. Carrie Harvell; B. S. Reynolds and wife, Ida F. Reynolds, and C. M. Willetts, to the Bank of Selma, on the 28th day of Aug., 1912, and recorded in Book 73, on page 387, of the public registry of New Hanover County, N. C., default having been made in the payment of the bond secured thereby, the undersigned mortgagee will sell, at public auction, for cash, in front of the court house door, in Wilmington, N. C., in New Hanover County, on the 12th day of December, 1914, between the hours of 12 o'clock, noon, and 2 in the afternoon, all that certain tract or parcel of land described and included in the mortgage aforesaid, as follows:

Lying on the East bank of Cape Fear and Black rivers; beginning at a stake on the East bank of the Cape Fear river about 150 or 175 yards above the old Dolleson Ferry Landing, the division corner between Mrs. Harvell and Jno. F. Richards, and running thence with their division line N. 19 E. 90 chains and 50 links to a stake; their division corner in Miss Sallie M. Richardson's line; thence with her line N. 70½ W. 64 chains and 50 links to a stake in the old George Moore line, about 150 yards from the river swamp; thence with said George Moore line S. 49½ W. about 80 chains to the George Moore corner on the river bank; thence down and with the river to the first station, containing eight hundred and five (805) acres, more or less; said land lying partly in New Hanover and partly in Pender county, N. C.

BANK OF SELMA,
Mortgagee.

Nov. 10, 1914.
L. H. Allred, Attorney,
Smithfield, N. C.
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J. F. LEITNER
ARCHITECT
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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

November 20, 1914.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 42 degrees; at 8 P. M., 43 degrees; maximum, 45 degrees; minimum, 42 degrees; mean, 44 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .13; rainfall for the month to date, 3.28 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M. yesterday, 11.8 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina—Fair and much colder Friday, with a cold wave in west and central portions; Saturday, fair.

The Port Calendar, Nov. 20, 1914.

Sun rises . . . . . 6:50 A. M.
Sun sets . . . . . 5:06 P. M.
Day's length . . . . . 10 hrs. 16 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington . . .	11:46	11:51	6:30	7:14
Southport. . . .	9:40	10:04	3:21	4:28
Masonboro Inl . .	9:29	9:53	3:01	4:08

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.
November 19, 1914.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature Highest today:	Lowest last night.	Precipitation at 8 P. M.
Abilene . . .	clear	62	30	.0
Asheville. . .	cldy	48	28	.0
Atlanta . . .	cloudy	50	34	.0
Augusta . . .	clear	54	32	.0
Birmingh . .	clear	56	32	.0
Boston. . . .	rain	44	30	.66
Charleston . .	clear	52	44	.04
Charlotte . .	clear	50	30	.0
Chicago . . .	clear	20	14	.0
Galveston . .	clear	64	50	.0
Jacksonv. . .	clear	60	44	.10
Memphis . . .	clear	40	38	.0
Mobile. . . .	clear	62	36	.0
Montgom'y pt	cldy	56	34	.0
New Orl. . .	clear	64	46	.0
New York . .	rain	42	32	.82
Oklahoma . .	clear	36	32	.0
Palestine . .	clear	60	36	.0
Pittsburg . .	snow	42	30	.0
Raleigh. . . .	clear	46	32	.0
Savannah . .	clear	56	42	.04
Shreveport . .	—	—	38	.—

CAROLINA COTTON MARKETS.
(Daily Quotations, by State Division of Marketing.)

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 19.—Cotton — Middling—Raleigh, 7¼; Fayetteville, 7; Charlotte, 7¼; Norfolk, 7¼.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA:
COUNTY OF NEW HANOVER:

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, made and executed by George H. Bellamy and wife Kate T. Bellamy, to the Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., which mortgage is duly recorded in book 71, page 432, Register of Deeds office, New Hanover County, default having been made in the payment of the obligation thereby secured, the undersigned will sell on the 21st day of November, 1914, at Court House door at Public Auction, at noon, for cash, to the highest bidder, a one-eighth undivided interest in and to the following lots, parcel or tract of land, situate in the County of New Hanover, State of North Carolina, described as follows, to-wit:

FIRST: A lot in the City of Wilmington, BEGINNING at the Northeastern intersection of Market and Fifth streets; runs thence Eastwardly with the Northern line of Market Street, one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet; thence Northwardly parallel with Fifth Street one hundred and forty-eight (148) feet; thence Westwardly parallel with Market Street one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet to the Eastern line of Fifth Street; thence Southwardly with said line of Fifth Street one hundred and forty-eight (148) feet to the beginning, being part of Lots 4 and 5, Block 169, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington.

SECOND: That certain lot in the City of Wilmington, with a four story brick building thereon, BEGINNING at a point in the Northern line of Market Street ninety-seven (97) feet and six (6) inches East of the Eastern line of Front street; runs thence Eastwardly with the Northern line of Market Street; twenty-two (22) feet and six (6) inches; thence Northwardly parallel with Front Street one hundred and thirty-two (132) feet to Toomer's Alley; thence Westwardly with the Southern line of Toomer's Alley twenty-two (22) feet and six (6) inches; thence Southwardly parallel with Front Street one hundred and thirty-two (132) feet to the beginning, being parts of Lots 4 and 5, Block 165, according to the official plan of said City of Wilmington.

THIRD: A lot in the City of Wilmington, BEGINNING at the Northwest intersection of Second and Dock Streets; running thence Northwardly with the Western line of Second street sixty-six (66) feet; thence Westwardly parallel with Dock Street one hundred and seventeen (117) feet and eleven (11) inches; thence Southwardly parallel with Second street sixty-six (66) feet to the Northern line of Dock street; thence Eastwardly with the Northern line of Dock Street one hundred and seventeen (117) feet and eleven (11) inches to the beginning, being part of Lot 5, Block 152, according to the official plan of the said City of Wilmington.

FOURTH: A lot in the City of Wilmington, BEGINNING in the Western line of Third Street sixty-six (66) feet North of the Northern line of Wooster Street; runs thence Westwardly parallel with Wooster Street three hundred and thirty (330) feet to the Eastern line of Second Street; thence Northwardly with said line to Second Street one hundred and thirty-two (132) feet; thence Eastwardly parallel with Wooster Street three hundred and thirty (330) feet to the Western line of Third Street; thence Southwardly with said line of Third Street one hundred and thirty-two (132) feet to the beginning, being all of lots 4 and 5, Block 60 according to the official plan of the said City of Wilmington.

FIFTH: A lot in the City of Wilmington, BEGINNING in the Western line of Second Street one hundred and thirty-two (132) feet south of the Southern line of Queen Street; runs thence Southwardly with said line of Second Street thirty-six (36) feet; thence Westwardly parallel with Queen Street eighty (80) feet; thence Northwardly parallel with Second Street thirty-six (36) feet; thence Eastwardly parallel with Queen Street (80) feet to the beginning, being part of lot 3, Block 59 according to the official plan of said City of Wilmington.

Also all the undivided interest of the said George H. Bellamy of, in and to the Stock or ownership of the late E. M. Bellamy of, in and to the Clarendon Coal Field Company's stock and land situate in the County of Chatham, State of North Carolina, the said stock never having been divided.

Dated and posted this 22nd day of October, 1914.

ATLANTIC TRUST & BANKING CO.
Mortgagee.

Cemetery, Hospital, Greenfield Lake Sunset Park Schedule Tidewater Power Co.

RED CROSS.

Cars marked as above will hereafter operate between Sunset Park and the James Walker Memorial Hospital, exchanging transfers with other lines at 4th and Red Cross, Front and Princess and Front and Castle.

SUNSET PARK.

Leave Hospital for Sunset Park at 7:40, 8:00, 8:40, 9:40, 10:40 and 11:40 A. M., 1:00, 1:20, 1:40, 2:00, 2:40, 3:20, 4:00, 4:40, 5:20, 6:00, 6:40, 7:20, 8:00, 9:20 and 11:00 P. M.

Leave Sunset Park for the Hospital at 6:55, 8:05, 8:25, 9:05, 10:05 and 11:05 A. M., 1:25, 1:45, 2:05, 2:25, 3:05, 3:45, 4:25, 5:05, 5:45, 6:25, 7:05, 7:45, 8:25, 9:45, 11:25 P. M.

GREENFIELD LAKE.

Leave Hospital for Greenfield Lake every 20 minutes, from 6:40 A. M. until 11:00 P. M.

Leave Greenfield Lake every 20 minutes, from 7:10 A. M. until 11:30 P. M.

THIRD AND WRIGHT.

Leave Hospital for Third and Wright every 10 minutes, from 6:40 A. M. until 11:00 P. M.

Leave Third and Wright every 10 minutes, from 7:05 A. M. until 11:05 P. M.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale vested in me, as contained in a deed of trust from Roland A. Wright and wife, Daisy T. Wright, of date November 26th, 1912, and duly recorded in Book 70, at page 52, of the Records of New Hanover County, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Court House door, in Wilmington, N. C., on Monday, the 30th day of November, A. D. 1914, the following described porperty, to-wit:

"Beginning in the western line of Nutt street at a point 198 feet northwardly from the northern line of Grace street, running thence southwardly along the western line of Nutt street 22.55 feet to the line of a lot now owned by Roland A. Wright; thence westwardly and parallel with Grace street 122 feet; thence northwardly and parallel with Nutt street 22.55 feet; thence eastwardly and parallel with Grace street 122 feet to the point of beginning, in the western line of Nutt street, the same being a part of Lot No. 3, in block 202, according to the present official plan of the city of Wilmington.

The terms of sale are for cash upon delivery of deed, which is to be made immediately after said sale. This sale being made at the request of the Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Company, beneficiary of said trust.

GEO. A. GRIMSLEY,
Trustee.

This 29th day of Oct., 1914.
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SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY

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EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 9, 1914.

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No. 19—5:00 A. M.—Local train for Charlotte. Sleeper open at 10:00 P. M.

For detailed information and reservations, call on City Ticket Office, Orton Hotel, Wilmington, N. C. 'Phone 178.

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JOHN T. WEST, Div. Pass. Agt., Raleigh, N. C.

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AND
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New York to Wilmington.
Steamship Navahoe, Friday, Oct. 30th.
Steamship Cherokee, Friday, Nov. 6th.
Wilmington to Georgetown.
Steamship Navahoe, Monday, Nov. 2nd.
Steamship Cherokee, Monday, Nov. 9th.
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For schedules, reservations and any further information, call 'phone 160, or apply to C. M. ACKER, Ticket Agent of the ATLANTIC COAST LINE

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Lv. Norfolk	5:00 a.m.	5:00 p.m.
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Lv. Durham	1:50 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:45 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a.m.	6:30 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	7:00 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	8:00 a.m.
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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect October 12, 1914.

WINTER PARK, WRIGHTSVILLE, WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH AND INTERMEDIATE POINTS.

EASTBOUND: Leave Front and Princess for Winter Park	Leave Front and Princess for Wrightsville	Leave Front and Princess for Beach	WESTBOUND: Leave Winter Park for Wilmington	Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington	Leave for for Wilmington
.....	.....	.....	a6:26 A. M.	a6:15 A. M.	.....
a6:30 A. M.	a6:30 A. M.	a6:30 A. M.	a7:26 A. M.	a7:25 A. M.	.....
.....	.....	.....	b7:56 A. M.	b7:45 A. M.	b7:35 A. M.
6:55 A. M.	6:55 A. M.	b6:55 A. M.	a8:01 A. M.	a7:50 A. M.	a7:40 A. M.
a8:00 A. M.	a8:00 A. M.	.....	a8:41 A. M.	a8:30 A. M.	.....
8:30 A. M.	8:30 A. M.	8:30 A. M.	9:36 A. M.	9:25 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
.....	.....	.....	b10:31A.M.	b10:20 A. M.	.....
10:00 A. M.	10:00 A. M.	10:00 A. M.	11:06 A. M.	11:55 A. M.	10:45 A. M.
11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.	12:36 P. M.	12:26 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
1:10 P. M.	1:10 P. M.	1:10 P. M.	2:01 P. M.	1:50 P. M.	e1:45 P. M.
c1:55 P. M.	c1:55 P. M.	.....	c2:36 P. M.	c2:25 P. M.	.....
cd2:35 P. M.	.....	.....	cd3:06P.M.	.....	.....
3:00 P. M.	3:00 P. M.	3:00 P. M.	c3:50 P. M.	.....	.....
3:30 P. M.	.....	.....	4:06 P. M.	3:55 P. M.	3:45 P. M.
c4:10 P. M.	.....	.....	c4:30 P. M.	.....	.....
4:30 P. M.	4:30 P. M.	4:30 P. M.	c5:10 P. M.	.....	.....
c4:50 P. M.	.....	.....	5:36 P. M.	5:25 P. M.	5:15 P. M.
5:30 P. M.	5:30 P. M.	.....	6:11 P. M.	6:00 P. M.	.....
6:10 P. M.	6:10 P. M.	.....	6:51 P. M.	6:40 P. M.	.....
6:40 P. M.	6:40 P. M.	6:40 P. M.	7:41 P. M.	7:30 P. M.	7:20 P. M.
7:15 P. M.	7:15 P. M.	.....	8:06 P. M.	7:55 P. M.	.....
8:15 P. M.	8:15 P. M.	.....	8:56 P. M.	8:45 P. M.	.....
9:15 P. M.	9:15 P. M.	9:15 P. M.	10:21 P. M.	10:10 P. M.	10:00 P. M.
10:15 P. M.	10:15 P. M.	.....	10:56 P. M.	10:45 P. M.	.....
11:15 P. M.	11:15 P. M.	11:15 P. M.	12:21 A. M.	12:10 A. M.	12:00 M.

SPECIAL FOR SUNDAYS.

Leave Front and Princess streets every half hour from 2:00 to 5:00 P. M.

Leave Beach every half hour from 2:45 to 5:45 P. M.

a—Daily, except Sundays.
b—Sundays Only.
c—Superceded by half hour cars Sunday afternoons.
d—Goes through to Seagate; returning leaves Seagate at 3:00 P. M.
e—Leaves from Station No. 3.

FREIGHT SCHEDULE.
(Daily, except Sundays.)

Leave Ninth and Orange streets, 3:30 P. M.
Freight Depot open from 2:30 to 2:30 P. M.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington. Effective Nov. 15, 1914. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90. 3:40 A.M. Monday morning only.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad.	No. 91. 1:15 A.M. Sunday morning (Saturday night) only.
No. 51. * 5:25 A.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50. *12:45 A.M.
No. 64. ‡ 5:50 A.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65. ‡ 6:15 P.M.
No. 48. * 8:30 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman service.	No. 49. * 6:05 P.M.
No. 53. * 8:45 A.M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 52. * 8:05 P.M.
No. 62. * 3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 63. *12:50 P.M.
No. 55. * 3:45 P.M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida Points. Columbia, Asheville and the West. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta, and between Florence and Columbia.	No. 54. *12:30 P.M.
No. 80. ‡ 6:30 P.M.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60. ‡10:15 A.M.
No. 42. * 6:45 P.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars, between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41. * 9:40 A.M.

* Daily. ! Daily except Sunday. ‡ Tuesdays, Thursday and Saturdays.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160.

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Tickets on sale for all trains November 25th, and for trains scheduled to arrive Richmond at or before 2:10

LAWRENCE BRETT CHOSEN PRESIDENT

Belhaven Gets Next State Drainage Convention

PRATT IS SECRETARY

Committee to Present to Legislature Changes Desired in Drainage Law. Congressman Small Addresses Convention.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Wilson, N. C., Nov. 19.—Lawrence Brett, of Wilson, was unanimously elected president of the North Carolina Drainage Association this afternoon and the meeting place for next year will be Belhaven in Beaufort county. Representatives of Belhaven chamber of commerce assured the association of accommodations for 500 delegates.

Special committees will present to the next session of the Legislature a proposed drainage law which will replace the present law and include needed changes. Another special committee will co-operate with other organizations and with development companies in a movement to bring to the reclaimed lands of Eastern Carolina immigrants from Belgium and Holland. These two important committees will receive appointment notice by mail from President Brett.

Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, former president, was elected secretary and treasurer.

Congressman Small Speaks.

One of the interesting speakers was Congressman John H. Small, of the First district. Mr. Small has been deeply interested and actively engaged in the work of land reclamation since the first agitation ten years ago. As one of the consulting workers he was helpful in the drafting of the original drainage law and subsequent amendments. His address before the association was on the subject, "The State Drainage Law and Some Needed Amendments."

Congressman Small suggested two particular amendments which seemed necessary at this time. One of these will make provision for the transfer of the drainage tax from the owners of reclaimed areas to purchasers. The other will provide more classes of land with reference to the benefit received by drainage. He also suggested that before any amendments were presented to the Legislature they should be carefully prepared by a committee with practical drainage experts and strong legal minds composing the committee and he offered his service to the association if aid was needed.

Discussing the land reclamation, Mr. Small said that co-operation was the first and absolute essential. The obstacle in the way of every movement for progress was the lack of co-operation. This has been proven true in the work of securing good roads, better schools, higher moral standing and is likewise true in the establishment of drainage districts. The progress of any community, state or nation, is largely dependent upon its material progress. Moral and intellectual development is dependent on material development.

No Premium on Property.

Many preachers have wearied their audiences with the oft-repeated theory that poverty is the unerring road to paradise. We are tired of a premium being placed on poverty. Churches, schools, good roads, and every other uplifting and forward movement depends largely on the material success of the individual and the community. When the individual remains poor because of ignorance, lack of ambition, laziness or lack of ability, then poverty is a crime. Sometimes poverty does follow without individual responsibility. We should stress individual and community material progress.

The natural resources of a section, a community, or a nation are not sufficient alone. There must be the dependance upon the people. They must make use of the natural resources. This movement—the drainage movement—is destined to be accepted as one among the most important movements of the century. We are taking assets of comparatively no value, acres that are non-productive, and by drainage we are adding to the wealth of the section and of the State double and treble-fold by reason of bringing those acres into line as producers.

Richards Couldn't Come.

President Pratt announced the receipt of a telegram from Mr. M. V. Richards, Land and Industrial Agent of the Southern Railway, stating that it would be impossible for him to be present, but assuring the association of his interest and willingness to aid in every possible manner.

Reports were made by delegates from a number of drainage districts, progress seemed to be the word from every direction. In the State there are 72 drainage districts, either organized or in process of organization, of these 36 districts are for the drainage of swamp lands and are located in Eastern Carolina. The remaining 36 districts are organized for the drainage of overflowed lands and are located principally in Piedmont Carolina. Delegates present mentioned two obstacles confronting the drainage work at the present time, the financial situation, making the sale of drainage bonds almost impossible, and the immense amount of personal work necessary to convince the people actually interested in water-covered lands, of the value of drainage and its ultimate success.

The paper read by Mr. C. W. Mengal, of the John L. Roper Lumber Company of Newbern, on the subject, "Drainage and Development of North Carolina Muck Lands," was very interesting. After discussing the largely increased value of the land for agricultural purposes Mr. Mengal stated that two important factors faced every proposition of this character. These factors were the cost of drainage and the cost of development. The cost of drainage is met by a tax on the land but the cost of development, prior to offering the lands for sale to prospective homemakers must be met by capitalists. The obstacle is convincing the capitalist of the value of the investment. The large tracts of land must be settled by colonization and to accomplish this money is needed. Every dollar thus invested is certain of a large interest.

Value of Tile Drainage.

Every delegate and the visitors to the session were keenly interested in the presentation of the value of tile drainage as applied to crop productiveness. Prof. M. E. Sherwin, of the Department of Soils of the A. & M. College, with his charts made this subject very clear to the audience. After discussing the larger usefulness and less expense of tile drainage as compared with other methods of under-drainage, Prof. Sherwin gave reasons for the value of tiling every farm. The granulation of the soil is improved; the water capacity of the land is increased; the aeration of the soil is improved; the growth of desirable bacteria is promoted and the drainage deepens the rooting of the crops and thus aids the plant to withstand summer droughts. The necessity of air for the development of the roots and the fact that air is carried to the soil through the tile drains was one of the points brought to the attention of the farmers and drainage men present.

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(Advertisement.)

DEATH CAME BY FOUL MEANS UNDETERMINED

Dead Body of White Woman Found in a Barn

Following Verdict of Coroner's Jury, One Young Man is Held in Jail and Another Under Bond at Wilson.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Wilson, N. C., Nov. 19.—Wade Moore, white, aged 23, was sent to jail without bail, and Luther Watson, white, aged 19, was held under bond, following the verdict of the coroner's jury in the case of Mrs. Mary Ann Walls, late this afternoon. Both young men are well connected and there is no record of any prior bad character. Both testified before the coroner that both went to the house of Mrs. Walls. Moore claims to have left Watson at the house and Watson claims that when he left Moore was sitting on the porch with Mrs. Walls.

There are four children and all were before the coroner. Their story is to the effect that when they went to sleep their mother was sitting on the porch with Moore, Watson having left the house. One of the children testified that he had seen a man in the crib in the morning, and when they went to the crib they found their mother's body.

The verdict of the jury was that Mrs. Walls came to her death by foul means of undetermined nature, and advised that both young men be held, Moore without bail and Watson under bond. According to the physicians, there is no evidence of poison. Mrs. Walls had been dead for hours when found, and the theory is that she suffered a sudden stroke of apoplexy, following some sudden fright.

Found Dead Tuesday.

Tuesday afternoon a message came to Sheriff Rowe asking for the coroner and stating that Mrs. Mary Ann Wall, a white woman, 46 years of age, living on a farm several miles from Lucama, had been found dead in an out house on her place.

The woman, who was well connected in this county and also in Johnston, is a widow and lived with her children on the farm. Her reputation has not been of the best for several years. Sheriff Rowe sent one of the office force to the community and Dr. Swindell as acting coroner went to the house. Warrants were issued for two young men, Wade Moore and Luther Watson, and both were arrested Wednesday night.

The first report was to the effect that foul play was suspected and the children in the house told of some men coming to the house during the night and calling their mother out in the yard. The children went to sleep and did not waken until morning. They could not find their mother and finally found her body, and from all appearances she had been dead for several hours, in the seed cotton house.

Moore Released on Bond.

Wilson, N. C., Nov. 19.—Tonight Solicitor Allsbrook communicated with Sheriff Rowe by long distance telephone and instructed the sheriff to permit Wade Moore to give bond. Moore was released on justified bond of $1,000.

LITTLE GIRL SHOT AND INSTANTLY KILLED.

Distressing Accident Occurs Near Elm City in Wilson County.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, N. C., Nov. 19.—The telephone brings the story of a distressing accident in the county, two miles from Elm City. Little Minnie Garrett, the seven-year-old daughter of Mrs. Ada Garrett, was shot and instantly killed Tuesday afternoon.

Late in the afternoon, the little girl was out in the field near the house, with Walter Evans, son of Mr. Joseph Evans. Young Evans had his shot gun with him and was looking for quail. Mrs. Garrett called her daughter and the child started to the house and was entering the door when the gun was discharged and the load struck the child's head, tearing away almost one-half of the skull.

Walter Evans is 12 years old and states that as he took the gun from his shoulder it was accidentally discharged.

ROBT. J. BURDETTE TO LAND OF GOOD HUMOR

Famous Apostle of Sunshine Passes Away.

Noted Preacher, Author and Humorist Dies at Sunny Crest Home in California Following Two Years' Illness.

Pasadena, Cal., Nov. 19.—Dr. Robert J. Burdette, preacher, author and humorist, died at his home here at 2 o'clock this afternoon. He had been ill for nearly two years and for the last week has been in a state of coma.

Robert J. Burdette began cultivating good humor obscurely in Peoria, Ill., 40 years ago when he spent part of his days at a desk on the Peoria Transcript "trying to think", as he himself once related, "of pleasant thinks to tell the folks when I went home at night." His audience of "folks" then was Carrie Garrett, the Peoria girl he married a short time before, while she lay supposedly on her death bed, but who lived, and, though an invalid for life, became immortalized by her husband as "Her Little Serene Happiness." It was she who encouraged him to sow his humor in wider fields. At her bedside Burdette became prolific with fun-making contributions to the Burlington, Ia., Hawkeye, and through these he became famous the country over as "The Burlington Hawkeye Man."

The little invalid wife encouraged him, too, to try the lecture field.

"She kept me at it," said Burdette, "and in due time we had a lecture on our hands—The Rise and Fall of the Moustache'," Burdette insisted on trying the lecture first in Keokuk—"for Keokuk hated Burlington" and if he succeeded there he would know that it was good. Even Keokuk applauded. The whole United States later did the same. He became a sort of itinerant preacher.

At 60, ten years ago, Mr. Burdette was called to the permanent pastorate of the Temple Baptist church of Los Angeles, Cal.

Although Burdette's original home was in Greensboro, Pa., where he was born in 1844—the later part of his life was spent in California. At Sunny Crest, Pasadena, he had a spacious house with broad verandas. His first wife had died after 15 years of encouragement to him, during which she had traveled all over the country with him. In 1899 he married Mrs. Clara B. Baker, of Pasadena.

A fugitive instance of Burdette's rollicking humor was a letter home to his flock in Los Angeles during his first trip to Europe. He dated the letter from "some distance out in the damp," and said in part:

"The scenery along this route, although somewhat monotonous, is splendidly irrigated. But it seems too early for the growing crops. Nothing has come up yet, except on shipboard, and that has gone overboard. The route is not nearly so populous as the Santa Fe trail over the desert. We have just two kinds of days—the days we see a ship and the days we don't."

The veteran humorist found fun in everything. While he was forced to abandon it in the pulpit largely because of the reputation he had made for fun-making, he agreed with Henry Ward Beecher that a joke in the pulpit was not at all out of place. It was, as Beecher said: "When you are fighting the devil, shoot him with anything."

Burdette died with the conviction that there was not only just as much fun in the world today as ever, but "a great deal more—because," as he said, "there are more people in it, and people are the funniest things on this side of the grave."

BIG EASTERN CAROLINA LAND SUIT IS SETTLED.

Federal Appellate Court Decides as to Ownership of $250,000 Tract.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Richmond, Va., Nov. 19.—Possession of more than a quarter of a million dollars worth of timbered land in Eastern North Carolina was practically decided today in favor of T. K. Parrish, secretary of the Richmond Cedar Works, in a ruling by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals.

The case was appealed from the District court at Elizabeth City, by Parrish after a verdict had been rendered in favor of the Foreman-Blades Lumber Company and others that laid claim to the land in question.

The Appelate court reversed this decision last spring, but later granted a re-hearing. Today it upheld its original opinion.

Business Locals

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SPRING CHICKENS, LARGE SIZE, 3 for $1; grown chickens, 55 and 60c.; turkeys, 22 1-2c. pound; large fresh eggs, 3 dozen, $1; fresh lot carrots, celery, cranberries, oranges and grape fruit today, at C. H. Bornemann's; 'Phone 853. no20-1t

BARGAINS LEFT OVER FROM THE Rebekah Fair will be sold in Odd Fellows' Hall at any hour during today from 9 A. M. no 20-1t*

WANTED—COUNTRY BOY TO WORK in grocery store. State age and experience, if any. Address in own handwriting, "Zebulon," care Star office. no19-1w

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WANTED — BY STENOGRAPHER, with several years experience, position as stenographer or other office work. References furnished. "Experienced," care Star. no19-4t*

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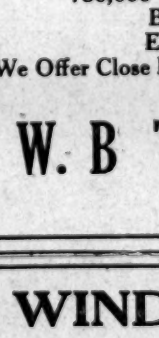

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